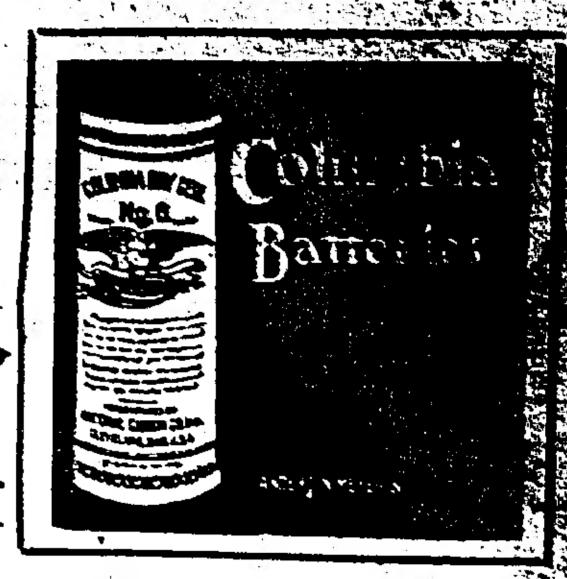


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MURDER CASE.

TRIAL AT THE SESSIONS.

The acting chief Justice (Mr. Justice Compertz), presided this morning over the August Criminal Sessions, There was THREE only one case in the calendar.

Loung Ki, alias Chun Kong, was indicted on a charge of murdaring one Lau (hun on lat July last in Victoria.

guilty.

M.T. Johnson (foreman), W. H. yesterday. Whiteley, T. Oliphant, Chan Kai, S. Greenfield and C. Edgcombe. prisoner.

the Crown. The Attorney General said that arrival of the vessel at the latter in presenting the facts to the jury | port it was discovered that one he was labouring under a little box containing \$10,000 was missdifficulty as a certain part of the ling from the treasure room. evidence he proposed to call Precautions were then taken prewould, he understood, be objected venting the money from being to by his friend, the counsel for amugaled ashore but it was left to the defence. He would therefore the Hongkong Police to conduct have to confine himself to the a stricter search of the vessel on other part of the case. The its arrival here. motives for murder, as the jury knew, were considerable. A man who committed nurler on ac- by, the Water Police whilst count of some great wrong done | search of the passengers' effects to someone else was not entirely and the decks was pursued, this beyond the pale of the law. But leventually resulting in the dishe asked the jury to be on their covery of a sum of \$2,080 from a guard in understanding the motive casing of one of the funnels. This

corney General did not know was maintained. whether there was any mot'w in the present case. The prisoner and the deceased were both traders were a class persons who travelled from town to town, in River steamers to Hongkong, carrying out orders for people in the country. The prisoner and the deceased used to travel between Hongkong and the village of Lung Chu. They travelled by the Kong Moon steamers, and both were registered traders in the offices of the steamship companies. These travelling traders all carried baskets, in which they carried their goods. In this case, in one of these baskets a certificate was found belonging to the deceased. It appeared that these two traders ceased to be in business for two

months. The main question was that on 1st July last the deceased left the shop of Si Won Chow in Des Vœux Road Central and took with him, among other things, a few dollars. Some time elapsed between leaving the shop in question and the time when he was found by the Police with a stab wound in his back. In the meantime he had taken his baske a to a sto on the Praya, which is close to Sincere's, and I-ft them there. The prisoner at 7 a.m. left his basket in the same place, but this was not the place where he used to keep his baskets. The next thing that was known was that the deceased, who appeared to be pretty faithful and determined arrived at the shop on the Praya, with a stab wound in his back and a dagger in his hand. and he gave instructions to the shop people about his baskets and the money in them. He then went downstairs and appeared to have collapsed and fell down at a lamp-post at Gilman Street, on the Praya. There he was found by the Police and taken to the Hospital. In consequence of information received. Inspector

Murphy went to the Si Yak

office, and obtained a photograph

of the travelling trader named

Leung Tai, and went back to the

Kongmoon steamer wharves, and

had the photograph shown to the Police searchers. At 6.30 the

prisoner arrived on the wharf, the

sail at about 7 o'clock. The

bim his surname. He said it

Tai, and he said "No". It was

impossible for Chinese to have

GOLD THEFT ON THE "NILE."

HONGKONG DISCOVERIES.

CHINESE | PASSENGERS DETAINED.

In view of the robbery which was carried out on board the vessel and resulted in the loss of The prisoner pleaded not \$10,000 (Gold) fr. ni the treasure room, unusual measures were The following jury were em- taken by the Water Police panelled: Messrs. F. A. Chopard, on the Nile's arrival in Harbour

It will be remembered from Mr. F. C. Jenkin defended the brief message received in the Colony a few days ago that the The Hon. Mr. J. H. Kemp, the robbery was very skilfully carried Attorney-General, prosecuted for out whilst on the voyage from Nagasaki to Shanghai and on the

The Nile was taken charge of that prompted this murder. It money was very carefully conwas not for the Crown to prove cealed, but not sufficiently so to the motive of murder. The At- escape the rigid search that severe gruelling. Then a com- General Chin Yung-peng has been

were found to have \$3,000 defeat and been placed present completed. Accordingly travelling traders. Travelling between them have been detained in a position which might General Chang Travelling and of by the Police pending the result be described as "between General Tsao Kum are preparing of enquiries which the Police are the devil and the deep sea. to move out of Peking. In the making as to its source.

> indicated that the door of the The work of transferring them to tr asure room was prised open the Henngshan, which was leav- but it is very much different with with a crowbar, and was left un-ling that night, was carried out fastened when the officers of the without a hitch under the protec- has set out to return to Fengtien ship made the discovery of the lion of the Police, and the

> We learn that the consignment boxes, was for the local office of arrival of the Soshu Maru and will dislocate the service between the American Express Company. Yuet Wa on their arrival along. Tientsin and Shankaiwan. The

NO BRIDEGROOM.

CANTON WEDDING FIASCO.

A few days ago, says the Cauton Times, Mr. Chen Hung Pui, a Hongkong Chinese mir chant, issued invitations for the wedding of his eldest son. Shek Ki recently returned from America Last Saturday, August 21, at two o'clock in the afternoon, Miss Ng Lai Yung, daughter of Mr. Ng Shih Tet, in her Yam Street Chinese Independent Church, where the Rev. Ng Mon Hing, the pastor, was also prepared, with Bible in hand, to pronounce the couple husband groom, however was not ready, and and all but "dispatched him with the hands of a Cabinet of all A big American trading I should be heard. The evidence employee of the Hongkong Hotel. are still unknown. All decorations in the church for the otherwise happy affair have been removed. and the big wedding-feast prepared at the Sincere Roof Garden last Saturday evening was un-

Sunning steamer being about to man had a tin of biscuits and no

KWANGSI TROOPS.

ROUGHLY HANDLED IN HONGKONG.

THREE MEN CHARGED BY POLICE.

end came the news of a big was severely injected, refused foreign practice on the subject. Ray, proprietor of the Coronet was to-day brought before the reverse which Kwangsi troops had medical attention and a stay in and though the British, French There tre, against A. Raquini, for the Magistrate (Wr. N. L. Smith). met in a fig. t with the Kwangtung Hospital, and was persistent in and American Legations have recovery of \$150, being damages Together with the prisoner was a who until lately were "braves" He was together with several following precedents set by the August 1st. bostile reception from local railway station yesterday, and committed acts which might form for the plaintiff. Cantonese patriots, who, from all safely seen from the Colony.

ments were that on arrival here being further harassed. they were to be transferred by another vessel to the scene operations at Swatow. but the fortunes of war were against these warriors. At OUR PEKING LETTER. the wharf on the Praya they were received by a hostile crowd of wharf coolies and others (From Our Own Correspondent.) which came to a conclusion only when the Police, having been informed of the occurrence! sent out a strong force and saved eliminated as a force in politics the discomforted soldiers from a and the new Cabinet under municative person started the formed and is already functionnews that the Kwangsi troops at ing, so that the task of the pro-Three Chinese passengers who Swatow had suffered a big gressive militarists is for the It was thus an easy matter for the case of the latter his return to Police to persuade the unwel- Paotingfu has very little effect Examination by the Police come visitors to return to Canton, upon the railway operation in Kwangsi troops left amidst the with men, horses and material booing of the crowd.

Similar disturbances on gold, which comprised 1,763 minor scale took place on the and Mukden and in another day side the wharves.

arrived in the Colony by the time must have a re-assuring Douglas boat Haibong yesterday influence upon the sceptical ones morning, and were subjected to at who declare that Chang Tso-lin most severe reception from crowd that gathered about the the men they have deposed. At

an nuderstanding with the South. The new arrivals had to run the gauntlet of a crowd comprising many hundreds of roughs, and a strong force of Police, who were immediately called out, had Wang I-tang as chief Northern considerable trouble in rescuing delegate, is likely to be more the victims and giving them a safe escert to the boarding known that he and the other number of the Kwangsi men were known to have been severely injured, and one of them Southern del gates. If the Prethe head was rescued in the nick of sident's policy is followed, attime by Detective Sergeant Dorlhest dress, was ready at the Chiu ing. The Sergeant was called upon to effect this rescue when he was whole rather than as a divided his cycle, and his arrival dispersed the crowd, who, however suon found out a fresh victim. They and wife. The prospective bride- chased him under the verandah,

attentions to the Police officer Exactly what induced the when he was interfered with. A Japanese Legation to admit to sentence of six weeks' hard labour the Waichaiopu and to the was inflicted by Mr. N. L. Smith Diplomatic Body that it had given MUSICIAN LEAVES WITHof the evidence.

From Swatow during the week- for them. One man who Japanese action is in accord with the suit brought by Mr. H. W. a sum of \$22,000 from the Bank

chance to give expression to their wary watch was kept by crowds fact that they are political re- Manila by a Mr. Ramos, who the sum of \$3,000. The man was provincial of the unlocky who took up positions at various fugees and as such are entitled was in charge of the orchestra at retained in Police oustody, no points of vantage on the look-out to sanctuary. But what qualifies the Coronet Theatre. In con- bail being granted. On Saturday night the Chung for Kwangsi men, several of this position is the fact that sequence of that letter he left On brought from Wuchow a draft whom are still staying at board- the Legation is using Manils and came to Hongkong. of 350 soldiers who were intended ing houses, and who will be Chinese soil for the pur-Since his arrival in Hongkong as reinforecements for the thankful for an opportunity to pose of harbouring enemies he had been engaged at the Kwangsi Army. The arrange-slip out of the Colony without of the present Government of Coronet Theatre under the man-

Peking, August 14. The Aniu parry has been he neighbourhood of the capital bang Tso-lin. His 28th Division and the five long troop trains have dislocated the limited pas senger service between Tientsin fact that the two military leaders A number of other refugees are quitting the capital at this a and Teao-Kun are no better than wharf when the steamer came in the same time it ought to facilitate

> of Kiangau, who has succeeded the capture of the Governor! acceptable to the South as it i-Yangt ze Tuchuns were opposed. to fighting the South. The tempts will be made to unite the South so that the North can conduct negotiations with it as a organisation, but it is too early yet to say what will happen.

a rain of blows when Sergeant the talents. Perhaps the greatest syndicate is engaged in an ex- in the case is that Ramos was and at the end of the month they Dorling came up. Then the crowd acquisition is Dr. W. W. Yen as tensive publicity campaign, and one of the plaintiffs chief were to change places, and dispersed, but the Sergeant Minister of Foreign Affairs. He by way of warning to British men, and as he was the chief man this person from the Hongkong succeeded in arresting one is an able and brilliant man and merchants, for whose goods there be was to engage musicians for Hotel was to take the place of Coiness who was preparing to has filled a difficult, role in is ample room in almost unlimit, the orchestra of the Coronet the defendant at the Coronet inflict an assault on the soldier's Europe during the trying period ed market, it may be advisable to Theatre. The last witness said Theatre. This arrangement was face with his wooden clog. This of the great war. Chow Tez-chi say that native newspapers or that if Mr. Ray did not pay the made without the consent and man was to-day brought up before as Minister of Finance inspires propaganda matter printed in the salary, he would have to pay, the Magistrate and bound over confidence, as doss Yeb Kung- vernacular are useless as a The Poisne Judge:—No; he did end of July. Mr. Ray paid him che in the Ministry of Com- medium for reaching the vast not say that. Arising from the same incident, munications. The latter is a masses of the people, and parti- Mr. d' Almada:—Yes he did. d fendant left his employer with two other Chinese were also trained man and will see that cularly the prosperous culti- The reporters have it. charged at the Police Court with qualified men are appointed to vators. The native newspapers The witness was recalled, and another party he had committed bing and the prisoner was committing an assault on the positions of responsibility on have very limited circulations, he substantiated what Mr. a breach of-contract, and it is arrested on the 3rd. He made a person of a Chinese con- the several railways. Accord- and only a small minority of the d'Almada contended. detective on the wharf recognised statement in answer to the chart stable. It was stated in his ing to a reliable source not people can read.

Mr. d'Almada, continuing, said due from the defendant to the the prisoner as the man whose ge .- He, the deceased, could evidence that whilst engaged information, the firs points of the Commercial travellers speak that out that evidence there was plaintiff in respect of that not arrest the murderer. He with other members of the Premier's programme are Uni- ing the language and penetrating a distinct contract between the claim. That the sum has to be knew me only. He and I were Force in putting down the dis- fication of the country. Separation and towns are the defendant, and Ramos. The reduced is clear. Substantive fokie, I had never had a fight turbances, he was set upon by the tion of the civil and military only means by which the plaintiff had to prove his contract damages will now be provided by with him. He never quarrelled prisoners who on learning his administrations. Dishendment of suitability of Western goods to and damages. He has also to prove the defendant who had given the was Chun. The detective then with me. Someone on the identity, exclaimed that "in these superfluous troops and retremeb- his needs can be brought home that he engaged the defendant substitute. It is Impossible to steamer knows the murderer: I cases, police men who do ment in civil administration to the average. Chinaman. In view of the evidence of Ramos' assess these dimages exactly. I can identify the murderer." If not mind their own business are Financial reform, to accomplish American commercial pro who engaged the defendant, it am not including damages suffered. they were fokis, and, as he stated, also liable to assault." Previous which he proposes to organise and pagends the itinerant proved that Mr. Ray had no by passage from Manifeste Hose he could identify the murderer, to this one of the prisoners was emergency conference of foreign story teller, the cinemalograph, supreme authority over the kong and I have been a long a lo arrested and taken to the prisoner volunteered no holding down a Kwangsi soldier and Chinese experts with a view and ocular demonstration of the defendant. The latter left with the master of the latter left with the latter left with the master of the latter left with the latter left with the master of the latter left with the latter left with the latter left with the latter left with the latter lef

leaders wanted by the Chinese There is unanimity in the Government it is difficult to say, declarations of the Kwangsi men but as was to be expected it has as to their choice of an early aroused considerable comment, Judge, (Mr. Justice J. R. Wood) and Shanghai Bank who was departure from a sanctuary that most of which is unfavourable, at the Summary Court, this more arrested on Friday night at has proved to be uncomfortable There is no doubt, however, that ning, there came up for hearing Yaumation the charge of stealing China and in doing so is guilty agement of Mr. Ramos. He con-Chinese legal view is that the employer. At the time that he hinese Government could de-wanted to leave the Coronet

> In this connection it may be Mr. Ramos, called said that interesting to add that the tenth he was in charge of the orchestra p.m. man on the black list, Li Shib- at the Coronet Theatre, and in | Hongkong Theatre 5.15, 711 hou, ex-Minister of Finance, is April Mr. Ray had asked him and 9.15 p.m. different, inasmuch as Mr. Li is musicians, everything was left to o.m. it is permissible for him within The passage was paid by Mr.

be rebutted.

the Legation Quarter. Notwithstanding that wanted Anfo leaders brand and on others throughout defendant leaving, it was provided you must reduce the the district a proclamation by the necessary to have rehearsals. General Li Shun, the Tuchun | bandit chief offering one cent for

CHINA TRADE BOOM.

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great trade boom in China, and Idefendant by Mr. Ray.

full advantage of it. -China is beginning to awaken the parties. There has been a employed month to month to ber immense possibilities, and breach of the contract. The for the orchestra of the Coronet the immediate demand is for question is what should be the Theatre at \$150 per month. engines, railway rolling stock, damages? cars, agricultural Mr. d'Almada: Will your 12th July, the defendant made a

CINEMA LAWSUIT.

OUT DUE NOTICE

Balore His Honour the Puisne The shroff of the Hongkong

expectedly they met with a secretly taken to the Canton These men may or may not have the detendant, and Mr. A. Rowan of the money on her person.

an unfriendly act. The sidered Mr. Ramos as his demand, to-day was 42/31/4d. mand the surrender of these men, [Theatre he went and saw Mr.] and failing this could exercise Ramos, and the latter told him force to accomplish its object, that if he wanted to leave be Of course China is not in a would have to get a substitute. position to exercise force. Never- Defendant consented, and secured theless that is the legal technical a musician from the Hongkong position held by the Chinese Hotel orchestra, and he changed authorities, and it is extremely places with him. Mr. Ramos doubtful if their contention can represented to defendant that he was in charge of the Coronet Theatre orchestra.

in the Russian Legation. Here to engage a musician in Manila. position is somewhat As regards the engagement of said to be in the employ of one witness, but he had to get the of the foreign banks in the approval of Mr. Ray. He and 9.15 p.m. Legation Quarter. As a servant lengaged the defendant by latter. Ray. He told Mr. Ray that the defendant was a competent Mr. Ray and the defendant the musician. The money was There has been absolutely no are paid by Mr. Ray and witness damages proved by the plaintiff. known to be enjoying the paid the musicians. At the end It did not follow that if there bospitality of the Japanese of July, the defendant told him were a breach of contract there Logation, the military and police that he wanted to leave the or- would be damages. Ramos had watch, the exits from the chestra. Witness said that he said that he suffered no inconven-Legation Quarter and the re- must supply a substitute. De- ience by the defendant leaving. wards offered for their arrest are fendant brought another musician and Mr. Ray having suffered no flaunted in the publice "eye. from the Hongkong Hotel and technical damages, he submitted Concerning rewards, I may be the two made arrangements and that he could not sue for damages. permitted to recall the story of a exchanged places. Before the The Pusine Judge (to Mr. famous bandit in Kansu, for arrival of the defendant, Mr. Rowan):--Why do you assess whose capture the Governor Ray wanted to engage the your damages at \$150? offered ten thousand dollars. On Hongkong Hotel musician who Mr. Rowan:-It is a month's the morning following the posting took the defendant's place in salary. of this proclamation, there the Coronet Theatre orches. The Pusine Judge:- I think appeared on the yamen notice tra. In consequence of the that the substitute having been

> The Puisne Judge:-Did you it should be? undertake to pay the defendant Mr. Rowan:-It is difficult to defendant.

A Central News message states | compradore to prove that the upon a well-established rule. that there are evidences of a cheque was made payable to the . The Puisne Judge :- In this .

mind. The contract was between parties. The defendant was

BANK SHROFF.

CHARGED WITH WOMAN AT POLICE COURT.

troops, and this item was confirm- his solicitations to the Police for declined to accommodate mem-suffered by reason of the defen- Chinese woman who was arrested ed by the arrival here yesterday a safe conduct from the Colony ers of the former Chinese Govm- dent terminating his appointment at the same time and, who is now of several hundreds of refugees at the earliest possible moment, Japan at this time is as a musician to the plaintiff on arraigned on the charge of receivin the former force. Quite un- others escorted by the Police and British and American Legations. Mr. Leo d'Almada appeared for ence of the discovery of a portion

The case was remanded for a the subject of a criminal charge. The defendant, examined, said week, bail in the case of the appearances, had waited this Up to a late hour yesterday, a but there is no gainsaying the that he was engaged by letter at female prisoner being allowed in

TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE.

The closing rate of the dollar, on

THE WEATHER.

2 p.m. Barometer: -29 67. Temparature:--85. Humidi y :--64.

DON'T FORGET.

TO-DAY.

Coronet Theatre-5.15 and 9.15

TO-MORROW.

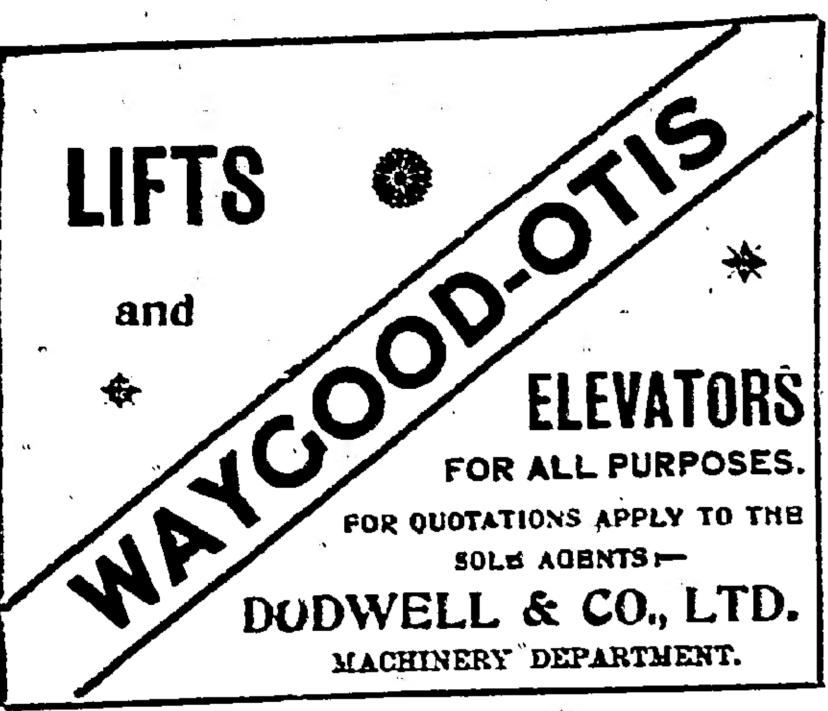
Coronet Theatre-5.15 and 9.15

Hongkong Theatre-2.15, 7.15

amount. How much do you think

yourself? Suppose Mr. Ray did assess. I aubmit that it is a wellnot pay you, would you have to stablished rule of law that a pay?-Yes. I engaged the defen- person who is employed month dant and I had to pay. There is a by month must give a month's contract between me and the notice. You cannot put anyona. in the office and say you can Mr. Rowan:-I can call the continue. I am really relying

case, there was a contract for that America is already taking | The Poisse Judge: Never personal services between the During the month of July, on his month's salary, and the out notice. By so engaging with



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EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

THE HONGKONG

THE RUSSO-POLISH WAR.

Warsaw, Aug. 20. Describing the Polish counter-attack, Reuter's correspondent says the Poles, after allowing the Bolsheviks to approach the outer forts, counter-attacked both wings, one from Ivangorod in the direction Breatlitovsk under Pilsudski and the second from Novogeorgievsk developing northwards along the Narew. Meanwhile a third attack was launched along the Warsaw-Danzig railway in the direction of Maiawa. Pilandaki repulsed the enemy along the whole line between Wiprz and Narew to a depth of forty-eight kilometres. The objectives were rapidly reached. The right bank of the lower Narew was cleared, and the forts at the confluence of the Bug and Narew were re-taken, re-establishing a natural line of defence for Warsaw. The Poles attacking the Warsaw-Danzig line advanced beyond Echenow. South of Maiawa the Bolsheviks hurriedly retreated.

An official review of the situation confirms the defeat of the Bolshovik designs on Warsaw and describes the Bolsheviks as fleeing in panic. It also enumerates captures of prisoners and material in the hurriedly abandoned campa.

London, Aug. 20. The Poles are now busily engaged in collecting isolated Bolshevik is believed to be broken. The Bolshavik forces number one hundred help to form opinion on the detachments left high and dry after the subsidence. The main flood thousand. The Poles, by their advance on Brestlitovak, seem to subject. threaten the main Bolshevik forces; nevertheless it cannot yet be said that Warsaw is completely out of danger as the total armed manpower of the Bolsheviki is an unknown quantity. For the moment there seems a possibility of total annihilation of the Bolshevik army actually engaged, but the military situation is so delicately balanced that a single false step might completely change the outlook.

Paris, Aug. 20. A Message from Minsk dated the 17th says: At to-day's session people. They know it very well. of the Peace Conference the Soviets informed the Poles that they are eager for peace and do not desire to interfere with the integrity of Poland.

MESOPOTAMIA POSITION UNCHANGED.

London, Aug. 20. A War Office report from Mesopotamia says that there is little as the Austrians are broken. change in the situation. The Rakubah area, as far as the neighbour- They are not hopeless. They still hood of Khanikin, is still in revolt. Desences have been established leep a stiff upper lip, and are at Bakubah railway-bridge. A column sent to clear up the situation confident in their future. at the British post at Sakiya, twenty-five miles south of Neifri, is "The old life is ended for me invested west of Niaghdad, on the middle Euphrates. An armoured and my generation," said the car section which was fired on en route from Fellujah succeeded in President of one of the Chambers reaching Baghdad. The Baghdad-Fellujah railway was tampered of Commerce to me after talking with, but not seriously. The railway from Hilla to Baghdad will of former English friends whom be secured at both ends by lines of blockhouses. Defences are in he had met in the polo field course of construction around Baghdad. The operations are consi- in England, at Murren, in derably impeded owing to the heat. The unusual lowness of the river Exypt, and other places rendered communications and supply services by water most difficult. where the rich disport them-

The India Office annuunces that it will receive applications from selves. "The old life is ended the Indian Army Reserve of ex-temporary Indian Army officers for for us. We have motor-cars, but temporary service with the Indian infantry expeditionary forces. The we cannot use them. We cannot announcement is apparently the cutcome of the serious situation in even play tennis. My daughters Mesopotamia.

Bombay, Aug., 20. Captain Wrigley (Political Officer), Captain Bradfield (Comman-, a dozen bad balls for 350 marks. dant of Levies). Captain Buchanan (Irrigation Officer), and two We can no longer afford these British N.C.O.'s were killed at Shahraban on the 15th by Arabs. The things. We have to live poor for officers with their levies offered a gallant resistance against over- the rest of our days, but we whelming numbers, holding out for three days until their ammunition became exhausted. The Arab levies were loyal to the end and died shall pay off our debts. We shall lifighting side by side with the British.

THE KATTOWITZ AFFAIR

in London and in the Provincial Towns and Industrial Centres of the United Kingdom and the Continent of Europe. The names, addresses and other details are classified under more than 2000 trade headings, including Berlin, Aug. 15. A semi-official account of the disturbances at Kattowitz says the That. I think, represents the man can dare to go to England. crowd insisted on forcing way into a street, where a cordon of police general frame of mind. It is sub- The English hate us too much. dren were discussed at the and French cavalry was stationed and demonstrated before the dued, but it has not lost its morale. England wants to keep Germany quarters of the Inter-Allied Commission. The French troops drew It is occupied with the hard facts always on the ground. It their sabres and dispersed the crowd, which immediately re-assembled of life, and has neither time nor different with America." on the arrival of a procession of High School students who forced the disposition for external politics. crowd against the cordon. Shots were fired, whereupon the crowd There is only one topic, and that "I like the Englishmen who taining that the new opportunities Onwhose NUSINESS FARDS of Firms desiring to sate district connections, or Trade Cards of

Paris, Aug. 20. The French Government take a serious view of events at Kattowitz and are of opinion that the German Government encouraged the agitation. The matter will be placed before the Amhassadors' Conference and most rigorous penalties demanded

THE OLYMPIC GIMES

In the Graeco-Roman wrestling haals middleweights) Johans- owing to the war, but to classes at the night schools. They of the young on their own lines. sen of Sweden beat Sint of Holland in seven minutes thirty-two events since the war. I do think it will be useful to them she said. Teachers must claim seconds and 'heavyweights') Lindfors of Finland beat Ahlgren of not think any incident has later. All the under waiters and that they were the best judges of

Antwerp, Aug. 20. The final of the three thousand metres steeplechase was an easy win for Hodge (Britain), whose time was 10 mins, 0.25 seconds. Final of the 200 metres flat race.-1, Woodring (America); 2. Paddock (America); 3, Edward (Britain). Time 22 seconds.

Final of the 10,000 metres flat race.-i. Nurms (Finland); 2, Guillemot (France); S. J. Wilson (Britain); J. Maccario (Italy; 5, J. Hatton (Britain). Time 31 mins., 45 4-5 secs.

Final of the 400 metres .- I, Rudd (South Agrica): 2. Butler (Britain): 3, Eugdhal (Sweden): 4, Shen (America). Time: 49 3-5

THE PRINCE'S TOUR.

Sydney, Ang. 20. H.R.H. the Prince -of Wales, aboard H.M.S. Renown, departed for England amid scenes of the greatest enthusiasm, being farewelled by flotillas of watercraft of every description, while all the headlands were thronged with people waving a farewell.

FRENCH ANARCHISTS SENTENCED.

-- Paris, Aug. 20. Eleven anarchists have been sentenced to terms ranging from four to twelve months for inciting soldiers to disobedience.

THE BALTIC STATES.

London, Aug. 20. Reuter learns that the Baltic States Conference has adopted a convention whereby Finland, Esthonia, Latvia, Lithuania and Poland agree to submit all disputes to arbitration.

London, Aug. 20. Middlesex beat Somerset by seven wickets. Sussex best Surrey Gloucester by ten wickets. Yorks best Essex by 121. Kent v. Notts For two reasons, firstly be- and the "English sickness" that stored respect for its heart if was drawn.

THE TEMPER OF GERMANY.

WHAT MR A. R. GARDINER FOUND.

In the course of the past month, writes Mr. A. G. Gardiner, late editor of the Dully News, I have travelled many hundreds of miles in all parts of Germany. I have moved in every sort of society. I have met politicians, and professional men. University done and University students, trade union workers and labourers on the land, waiters and oab drivers, journalists and schoolboys, business men and ex-diplomatists. I do not pretend that this justifies any dogmatic expression of opinion about the post-war mind of Germany. The thought and spirit of a great country cannot be gathered in a cursory glanca. All that can be offered are some

BEATEN BUT NOT BROKEY. The most emphatic general impression. I think, is that this is not a broken people. By this I do not mean that they are not a beaten people, or that they do not know that they are a beaten They are reminded of it in all the impoverished circumstances of their lives, in their vanished mercantile marine, their stagnant industry, their hungry conditions, the crushing! burden of prices and taxation. But they are not broken in spirit

used to buy a dozen good balls for 12 marks. Yesterday I bought shall work for our children. We

begin afresh at the bottom. We have a big task before us, but we trade even in Germany as soon shall do it if we are allowed to as Americans and English begin work. But we must be permitted to come, and secondly because I to work. We cannot both be idle want to go to America." and pay."

THE ONE TOPIC.

the war. There is little talk of re- expected to like it." venge, and little apparent hostil-

ence of Englishmen, and equally Do many people in Leipzig educational promotions. believe, is the universal experi- France." of Americans. So far as bitter- learn English?" ness exists, it is directed against "Lots are doing so. Many boys the French, and this not and girls attend the English methods required the development planted so deep a barb in the many of the page-boys in this what suited the class. heart of Germany as the French hotel are learning English." occupation of Frankfort with black troops. One of the chief! officials of the trade unions at Berlin told a representative of the some who are." American Relief Mission that that calculated insult had done on your wages?" infinite mischief among the work- "A great struggle. I can only ing men, who are wholly anti- afford three dinners a week. And regret of Conference that the

revenge. Something of the mind of the coffee, and for supper two more and of attainment for children Joung Germany of the poor about pieces. by the lift boy in the hotel I when you cannot afford dinner?" had proved to be educationally stayed at in Leipzig. He was a "Then I have only bread." obviously eager to try his few come. A little more patience." something amounting to genius. words of English on anyone who "More patience? That is what and, at the other end, virtual came to hand. In reply to the we have heard for 18 months. A imbecility, it was impossible to question how he was learning German can no longer lift his fix standards. The level of English, he said he was taking head. Our humiliations are too education in London to-day was lessons twice a week, and the great." conversation proceeded something like this:

in Leipzig for 20 years."

marks a week."

"That is a lot of money." I think it is worth it. I get 70 his degree one the philosophy the country, is extraordinarily

cause it is necessary in the hotel has devastated the child life of not for its head.

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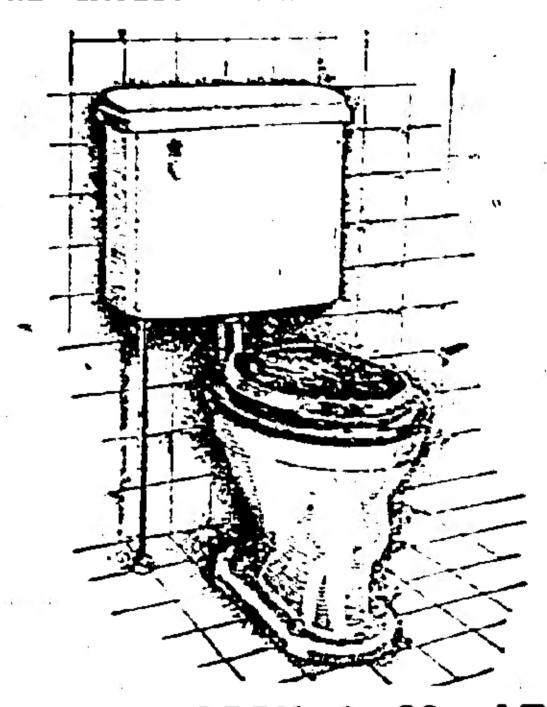
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"And not to England?"

"No not to England. No Geris Conference in Essex Hall. Strand.

"Do you hate England?" is "bread and potatoes." The come here, but since their coun- for training older children in problem of food has obliterated try hates mine I canno: be elementary schools and the

system, would depend for their "And France?" "Ab, everyone hates France, success on reduction in the size anything but civility, and this. I Even the working-men hate of classes, more teachers, better

dom for the teachers. The newer

insisted that L.C.C. school mater-THREE DINNERS A WEEK. fial instead of getting better was "And the maid servants?" getting worse. It was not only meazre in quantity but was worth-

"Fower of them but there are "Do you find it difficult to live

militarist, but who have been then I must pay at least six marks | London Education Committee stung by it to thoughts of for a dinner. I get potato soup, should have associated with a fish, or an egg. For breaktast I recent memorandum a suggestion have two pieces of bread and with regard to a minimum stand-

The lift-boy's pursuit of know- system. ledge and of English is symptomatic of young Germany. sity students, and discovered "noughts and crosses." incidentall; that each of them "Yes, it is a lot of money, but was taking an English thesis for

less in quality. -

The resolution was carried.

Mr. E. A. Halford moved the

"And at midday on the days in force in the old days, he said. "Never mind, better times will end of the scale in the class room

Mies E. Murray, seconding. said they should have no finger "An Euglishman who has lived The war has stimulated in that iniquitous whipping up" rather than checked the trad- of certain standards in arithmetic. itional enthusiasm for learning. spelling, etc. That was not "Six marks a lesson or 12 I met in succession three Univer- education; it was in line with The resolution was carried.

marks a week, out of which I of Hobbes; one the teaching of high. But if any country can be must feed and clothe myself and William Morrie; the third the said to be popular, it is America, pay for lodgings. I spend 10 period of Cromwell. Intellectual It had fallen into discounte marks a week on my washing." interest in England was never owing to the failure of the Wilson Why are you learning Eng. greater and its prestige, though peace policy at Paris, but its badly hit by the post war blockade enormous relief work has re-

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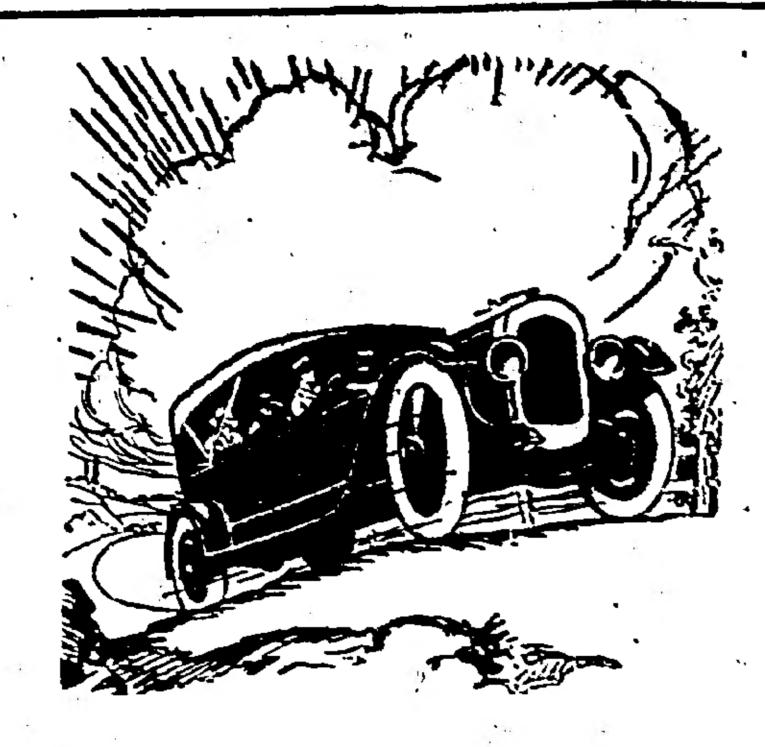
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WHEN MAN DECAY.

igned to ease the lot of millions calls the harrowing picture paintwere summarily rejected by the ed by Sir Heary Craik, in which automatic vote of the Coalition- he diplored the decay of the ists, who troop in from the smake- llanded aristocracy of Great room when the division balls ring | Britain under the crushing bur-They do not know the point at dens imposed upon them. What issue, but the Whips indicate the are the facts? The Super-Tax lobby, and they obey. It is one was introduced in 1909 20, at 61 of the saddest features of so-called in the £. and at that time it applied to 11,000 people in all. In 1918-19 the number affected was The great contests on the Ex- 43,000. This year we have reduced cess Profits Duty and the ap- the limit for Super-Tax purposes plication of the Corporations Tax from £2500 per annum to incomes to co-operative societies have of £2000 and upwards, according been postponed till Monday and to a graduated scale. It is Tuesday. At the moment it may estimated that this reduction will be best to mention one or two of add 30,000 to the Super-Tax the leading features of the Fin- payers in this country, making ance Bill as it has now been com- in all about 80,000 people with inpleted. We fought for the aboli- comes of more than £2000 per tion of the teaduty, now is. on the annum, who will be liable for this pound of tea. All economists and duty. Sir Henry Craik recalled others agree that it is desirable to that Super-Tax had grown from reduce or abolish indirect taxation 61 in the £ in 1911 to 6s in the £ of this kind, falling upon the to-day; that is, twelve-fold. No necessaries of life, and increase | doubt that is truef, but is must be direct taxation. The tea duty remembered that it is only very brings £17,000,000 annually to | high incomes, of £20,000 annually the Exchequer. Many of the and upwards, which pay at the poorest of the population make full rate of 63 per £. The great tea almost exclusively their diet. majority of Super-Tax papers They buy in small quantities. have their Income-Tax at 69 in And when their position is analysthe £, and then the appropriate ed it is found that they have paid burden under the scheme of an amount in indirect taxation graduation. The number of out of all proportion to their people paying the total 12s. in ability to pay. The Chancellor of the £ is comparatively small, and

In many social controversies we are reminded of the phrase In the course of debate many | that the rich are becoming nemer. alternatives were suggested. For Study of Income Tax, and Super example, Inland Revenue authori- | Tax certainly suggests that there ties have indicated that within is a glowing class in this country

TO DESTROY THE EMPIRE

THE REAL AIM OF SINN FEIN.

A largely-attended meeting of members of both Houses of Parliament was held in the House of Commons recently to consider the present revolutionary movement in Ireland.

The Duke of Northumberland, who presided, said that seven years ago Sinn Fein was penniless. It was now a buge organisation, running a large number of newspapers, keeping its representatives abroad, maintaining a vast host of officials, and controlling an army of about 110,000 men. The nature of the understanding between revolutionary British Labour and Sinn Fein was shown by the words of the President of the Miners' Federation on December 6, 1918, when he called for strong representation of Labour in Parliament on the ground that there would then be some inducement for Sinn Fein to go to that accursed reactionary Chamber, for then a bargain might be made on the basis of "your fight is our fight. Come over and help us."

There was, proceeded the Chairman, ample evidence of the reliance placed by Sinn Feinon a general atrike of the Triple Alliance in Great Britain. That purpose was not abandoned.

It was significant that every period of Labour unrest in this country had synchronised with a fresh attack of ovilence in Ireland. It was curious to note that, now that the Irish situation had become most acute, the Executive of the Miners' Federation should spring a fresh demand upon the public couched in truculent

ALLIANCE WITH OTHER BODIES. It was quite evident that a determined effort was being made to ensure united action between the railwaymen and transport workers in Ireland and those in England, and the miners were to co-operate by a fresh agitation for an increase of wages. All this was to be accompanied by support of the Bolshevists in Russia.

They had positive proof of the allince between all these elements last year, and there was every reason to suppose that the understanding was as firm to-day.

To sum up the situation very briefly, said the Chairman, the two parties in Ireland which were working-the one for national independence and the other for a a world wide revolution—were in alliance. They were also in alliance with International Socialism, and had embraced the Third International. They were working in England with the London Workers' Committee and the Workers' Socialist Federation, and they had an understanding with certain of the representatives of the great Trades Union Federation. This section of labour was, again, in close touch with the Soviet Government.

IRELAND THE WEAK POINT. They knew also that there was the closes: touch between all these parties and the Nationalist movement in India and Egypt. Such was the world-wide conspiracy which now aimed at the destruction of the British Empire. As their Press abundantly showed, these conspirators realised that Ireland was the Achilles heel of Britsin-that it was the weak point in the armour of that and the principal guardian of law and order throughout the world. It was essential that the true issues of the situation should be placed before the people of this

country. Sir E. Carson said this was no pro-Irish conspiracy. . It was an anti-British conspiracy, and it was not confined to Ireland. He would give them one fact which was beyond all doubt. The same emissaries who came from America to Ireland last year of his own knowledge not only had an Irish office in New York, but in another part of that city they had an Indian and an Egyptian office. Let no man be under any delusion as regards Ireland that we were now lighting a question of Home Rule.

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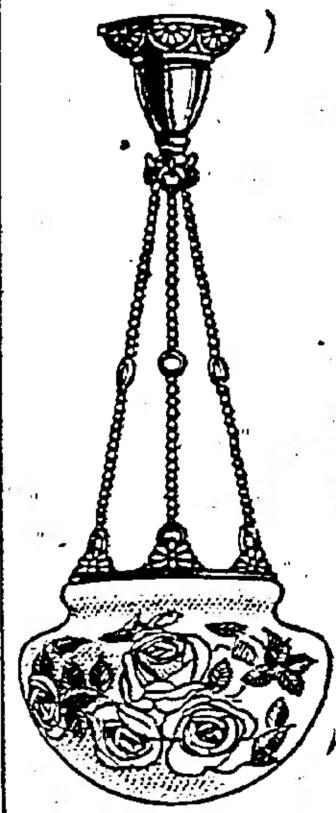
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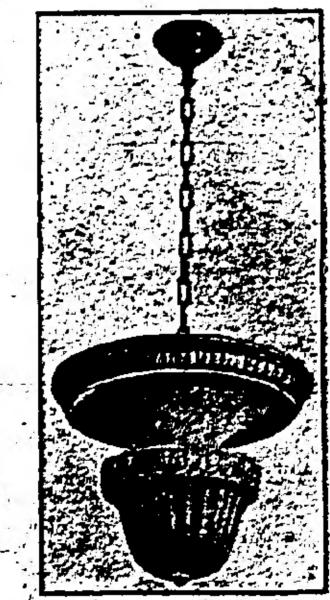
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A sporting writer in a Home paratively easy matter to be paper says .- All the countries- ready for the friendly fray. Ireland, Scotland, and England have got to make the best they an immense amount of goed. can of it. It is not a very cheery As I say, we could not remain removed to ST. GEORGE'S task they have before them. Too out, and now that we are in, it is well they know that that is how for the public to do what they matters stand. A first-class rail- can to see that the necessary BUILDINGS, way carriage, seated comfortably financial support will be forthfor six, would easily hold all the coming. So far it has not been competitors who have a real so. The general public, and even chance of winning anything. It the sporting public, have been is not at all certain that any worse than lukewarm. I hold

event. South Africa, instead of the out being called on to pay for Mother Country, the outlook sport. would have been very much im- The Rev. R. S. de Courcy THE HONGKONG TUTORIAL & proved, for of all the track men Laffan, honorary secretary of the from this country he is the like- Council of the British Olympic liest to do something notable at Association, is making a tour of Antwerp. It is queer that he the country-he was to have should have been picked to re | been in Edinburgh lately-to enpresent England to-day after he deavour to stir up enthusiasm had made his definite choice to re- and to get the wherewital to send gard himself as a South African a British team across to Belgium for Olympic purposes. But the and to keep them there with a A.A. have done nothing un | certain amount of comfort and constitutional in choosing him, style. I would urge all those who for it seems that he is a Devonian are in sympathy with the by birth as well as parentage-I Olympic movement to subscribe, is only, it seems, a sympathetic money for such a purpose. leaning on the part of his father that has caused him to throw in to be arbiter.

and we will watch his Olympic position. Our champions are I. there subjects. career with none the less interest Tait, H. J. Christie, G. Dallas, D. on that account, and with no less M'Phee, J. Wilson, W. L. Hunter, hearty wishes for his success. A and T. R. Nicolson. I am afraid, very likeable fellow is Rudd, and and I am sorry to say it, that not of the best type of amateur athlete, one of them can have the faintest more at the choice of Rudd is ev nt. That is reckoning on that the international contest this present form. And the same year was regarded as a final tr all applies to Ireland. p-eparatory to picking the British Nor, indeed, in the case Olympic team.

A SURPRISE OMISSION.

Jamaica. But the question is named English born? Was not J. J. practically broken down. rejected for Crewe for not being the British team. an Englishman born.

a good one:

But while Edward is not Eng-time. lish-born, he is British-born, and Nor is the outlook in regard to a great mistake will be made if the distance events much more he is not chosen for the com- hopeful. We have no G. W bination to go to Antwerp. But Hutson, one of the athletic there is no doubt that he victims of the war, to trust, to, will be so chosen. If only and yet Hutson was far out of it tacen now and August, the time and Bouin at Stockholm. I canfor the Games, he will have a not see that either the English, is hardly likely, and even if the fair chance of success, but he will Scottish, or Irish champions-C. Kyles man were to produce the I hy can win on his Stamford success. If to-day's running at other lands. near winning at Stockholm. But there should certainly be an improvement, and ascuming he is chosen I do not think there is any runner in this country-I am barring Rudd-who will do better than the big, swarth,

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part in the Olympic Games. For QUEEN'S us they they have come far too soon after the war. For America. and still more for Sweden, a neutral country, it will be a com-

Yet, it having been decided -baye carried through their that the Olympic Games should athletic championships, and when be held, Great Britain and Ireland the international to-day has could hardly remain outside, esthrown further light on the pecially as the meeting-place was "talent" available, the British to be in Belgium, a country that selectors will be in a posi- was very keen to have the Games to pick their team carried through in her midst. for the Olympic Games. They May they do that stricken land Queen's Dispensary will be

British athlete can win any it is for the latter to bear the heavy part of the burden, and not Had B. G. d'U. Rudd, the for the already overtaxed rate-Oxonian, not elected to run for payer, who has plenty to do with-

WHO SHOULD BE SENT? should be asked to travel. I know July Examinations. He has chosen South Africa' nin in Scotland who are in that

England is the prospect very disappointment-that W. A. Hilli More surprising than Rudd's and A. G. Hill were shown to be little plack. Many a man with sorted out mark by mark and inclusion in the A.A.A. team, in indifferent form at the A.A.A. a smaller heart would never have delivery can be obtained as soon however, was the exclusion of Championship meeting. Mother H.F.V. Elward. That, it is said. Country hopes had centred neld after the sorry experience. Optional G ods will be carried was done because he is not strengly upon them and Rudd to English born. He hails from do well at Antwerp. The last

being freely asked-Are all us, sprinter Hill has gone off and the men who were chosen the middle distance Hill has Barrett (putting the weight) born fancy, however, that both the in Ireland? Let us hope that the Hills will be included in the team colour question had nothing to for the Games. It is just possible do with the matter. There should they may come at the right time, be no room in sport for anything and that they will be all the of the nature of snobbery. The better in August for having been curious situation may arise of off colour at the beginning of Edward being chosen as al July. A year ago both the Hills Britisher for Antwerp, and being appeared to be strong men for

Another of Britain's hopes was Certainly Scotland does not C. M. Butler, the young Camhold to the position taken up by bridge quarter-miler, but he, too, the A.A.A. either in athletica or as lost much of his last season's Rugby football. Had it been so, dash, and a lot of running will W. Halswelle could never have have to be found by him if he is run for Scotland. The birth to hold his own with all comers qualification hard and fast is not at the Olympic meeting. I would take Rudd to beat him every

Edward can find a bit of form be- in his race with Kolehmainen need to find something in both E. Blewitt, J. Wilson, or E. J. the short sprints. I do not think Rogers—can have any hope of Bridge form. He is not quite up Crewe has improved the prospect

A GREAT STEEPLECHASER. The fact is this country is not of the distance when replacing a spects before the British team are prepared at the moment to take shoe that had been torn off, shows indeed anything but rosy.

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Prospectos on application.

What makes one wonder all the hope of winning an Olympic him to be either a particularly good having arrived from the above much brighter. It was rather a doubt that Hodge is a grea Company's Godowns at Kowloon. attempted to go out after the as the Goods are landed. Hodge met with.

over the hurdles in this country. day. and it may be that some light will be thrown on this matter, as on others, at Crewe, and whether either of the Scots or both will be asked to go to the Games. But

carriage for B. H. Baker, who is the Godowns. really Britain's only hope in the field events. He is a great high jumper, probably the best we have ever had, and yet no more can be Hongkong, 22nd August, 1929. said of him than that he has a reasonable chance of winning. But probably Baker is Britain's most distinguished athlete at the

We have no broad jumper with St. Mary's School, Kowloon, a ghost of a chance; nor is there Evening classes for Young ladies a class man with the weight; and in Pitman's Shorthand will reopen a better than Tom Nicolson, on the 3rd September. There veteran though he be, with the will also be a class for beginners. hammer has yet to be found. Crewe may provide him, but that Appropriate Little best throw he has ever thrown t there are sure to be better from I

So one cannot shake off the t to the best W. R. Applegarth here, as in other events, then so notion that, as the position prestandard, and Applegarth was not much the better. But I doubt it. sents its If just now, the sending I lover of a side is going to be pretty Percy Hodge made a very much a matter of courtesy-a favourable impression in the matter of form-and not because 1 steeplechase contest at Stamford we have any delusions as to what it Bridge, and he must be looked the results will be. If lucky, upon as one of the few possible there may be one or two victories I winners at Antwerp. The fact for Britain, thanks to Englishhat he was spiked at the water men, but no Scot can even hope, 1 jump, and lost 100 yards or more in reason. for success. The proADVERTISEMENTS.

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having arrived from the above ports. Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are hareby notified that the are being landed and placed at Cargo will be discharged into their risk in the Hongkong and Holt's Wharf, Kowloon, where it Kowloon Wharf and Godown will lie at Consignee's risk. The Company's Godowns at Kowloon, Cargo will be ready for delivery where each consignment will be from Godown on and after 23rd sorted out mark by mark and de- August. livery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

Optional Goods will be carried prior to steamer's arrival. on unless instructions are given to the contrary before Noon, To-

Goods not cleared by the 29th August, 1920, will be subject to

Damaged packages must bo pointed hour on Tuesday & Friday. All claims must be presteamer's arrival here, after cognized. No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. Agents.

Hongkong, 22nd August, 1920.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. From EUROPE" AND STRAITS.

THE Company's Steamship

"TAMBA MARU,"

man for this branch of sport, or ports, Consignees of Cargo are t that the others were a very roor hereby informed that their Goods lot. But whether his perform-lare being landed and placed at ance was made to appear better their risk in the Hongkong and than it really was, there is no Kowloon Wharf and Godown stepelechaser and a runner of no where each consignment will be

on unless instructions are given There are some capable men to the contrary before Noon, To-

> Goods not cleared by the 23th August, 1920, will be subject

Damaged packages must be left they rear great hurdlers on the in the Godowns for examination other side of the Atlantic, and the by the Consignes's and the Co.'s phenomenally fine time done by representatives at an appointed the young Canadian recently bour on Tuesday & Friday. All suggests that even our best men claims must be presented within at their best cannot hope for ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot A place will have to be found be recognised. No claims will be in the aforementioned railway admitted after the goods have left

> NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. Agents.

SHORTHAND CLASSES

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES

OCEAN STEAMSHIP CO., LTD.

CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

Consignees per Co's Steamer "MENTOR"

Optional cargo will be landed, unless notice has been given All broken, chafed, and damag-

ed goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on any Tuesdays and Fridays between the hours of 10.45 a.m. and noon within the

free storage period. No claims will be admitted after left in the Godowns for examin- the Goods have left the steamer's ation by the Consigner's and the Godown, and all Goods remaining Co.'s representatives at an appropriet after the 28th August. will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer sented within ten days of the must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 11th which date they cannot be re- [September, or they will not be recognised.

No Fire Insurance will be effected... BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

Agents. Hongkong, 23rd August, 1920.

TO CONSIGNEES. NOTICE

OCEAN STEAMSHIP CO., LTD. CHINA MUTUAL STEAM

NAVIGATION CO., LTD. Consignees per Co's Steamer

"ACHILLES" are hereby notified that the Cargo will be discharged into Holt's Wharf, Kowloon, where it will lie at Consignee's risk. The THE Undersignedhavereceived Cargo will be ready for delivery

Optional cargo will be landed, unless notice has been given prior

to steamer's arrival. All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on any Tuesdays and Fridays between the hours of 10.45 a.m. and noon within the free storage period.

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the steamer's Godown, and all Goods remaining when the wreck will be at purundelivered after the 28th Aug., chaser's risk. will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 11th Sept... or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance will be effected.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, 23rd August, 1920.

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instructions to sell by Public from Godown on and after 23rd Auction on

Friday, the 27th, August, 1920. at 12 o'clock (noon) at their Sales Rooms, Duddell

Street. (for account of the concerned) The Wreck of the

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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company -will be closed from Saturday 21st, August 1920 + Wednesday the 25th August 1920 I both days inclusive.

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

From BALTIMORE

THE Steamship

"GREENLAND"

having arrived from Baltimore via ports, on 17th August, 1920 | Having arrived from San Franconsiguees are hereby notified cisco via ports on 18th August. Kowloon, and stored at consignees' risk.

Consignees of cargo must produce an Import permit signed by the Superintendent of Imports and Exports, Hongkong, before Bills of Lading will be countersigned.

All broken, chafed and damaged cargo is to be left in the Godowns where it will be examined at 10 a.m. off 23rd August, 1920 by the Company's Surveyors, Messrs. Carmichael and Clarke.

arrival here, after which they cannot be recognised. No claims have left the Godowns, and cargo undelivered on and after 25th 21th, inst. will be subject to rent. \

Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature immediately.

STRUTHERS & DIXON, INC.. Agents.

1st floor, Powell's Building, 12, Des Vœux Road Central. Hongkong, 17th August, 1920.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STRUTHERS & DIXON, INC.

From SAN FRANCISCO.

The Steamship "ELKHORN"

that their cargo is being landed 1920 consignees are hereby at their risk into the Hazardous notified that their cargo is being and or Extra-Hazardous Godowns landed at their risk into the of the Hongkong and Kowloon hazardous and or extra-hazardous Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., Godowns of the Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf & Godowns Co., Ltd., Kowloon, and stored at consignees risk.

Consignees of cargo must produce an Import Permit signed by the Superintendent of Imports & Exports, Hongkong, before bills of Lading will be countersigned.

All broken, chafed and damaged where it will be examined at 10 downs until Monday. August 23rd, Sviatlovsky's statement is that a for children and the army, and a.m. on 24th August, 1920 by the Company's Surveyors Messrs. Carmichael & Clarke.

All claims must be presented All claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which they date. cannot be recognized. No claims | will be recognised after the goods will be recognized after the goods | have left the Godowns and cargo undelivered on and after the August, 1920 will be subject to

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All broken, chafed and damaged cargo is to be left in the Godowns until Monday August 23rd, 1920, when they will be examined by Messrs. Carmichael & Clarke at 2.30 p.m. Monday August 23rd, 1920.

Claims will not be accepted unless cargo is so examined by said Surveyors, prior to the above date. All claims must be presented within a month of the steamer's arrival here, after which they will not be recognized.

No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns. All goods remaining after August 25th, 1920, will be subject

No Fire Insurance whatever will be effected. Consignees, are requested to send in their bills of lading for

countersignature. THE ROBERT DOLLAR CO. Agents.

Hongkong, 18th August, 1920. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE ROBERT DOLLAR CO.

THE Steamship

"M. S. DOLLAR"

stored at consignees' risk. ed cargo is to be left in the Go- ago. The effect of Dr. speculation, the special provison 1920, when they will be examined workman's wage now enables him the amazing energy and resourceby Messrs. Carmichael & Clarke to buy only about one-third the fulness among the people which

23rd, 1920. unless cargo is so examined by by selling possessions or by only aid here that common belief said surveyors, prior to the above | charity.

will not be recognised.

godowns.

All goods remaining after Aug. 25th, 1920, will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance whatever will be effected.

countersignature. THE ROBERT DOLLAR CO.

Agents. Hongkong, 18th August, 1920.

RUSSIA UNDER THE SOVIETS.

PEOPLE' SAVED BY BOLSHEVIKS Mr. Walter Meakin writes in

the Daily News: The continued denial of eds erasi bluow doldw ecasq Russian people free to work out their own political and industrial future, and the Entente policy of the past two years, have been tolerated in Great Britain largely because public opinion has been influenced and inflamed by distortion of the truth about Russis, or by unreasoning criticism, based upon inadequate knowledge of the facts. Consequently, now that the immeasurable evils of this policy are taking as the Polish gamble approaches cut off from contact with the shape in the mind of the public its climax, it is more necessary than ever that every possible effort, however imperfect, should be made to probe beneath the surface and expose the salient facts about Russia in their true relationship to each other.

transport, production in indus- conditions of all the population, try, the attitude of the peasants and especially of the poorest towards the "Soviet Government, classes." of the towns, the transport break- ally hard." ther that the administration of privileged category." persistent belief that each successand Vienna

sive attack in the intervention. But to get a true parallel one campaign would overthrow the would have to imagine a Ger-Soviet Government, and even many which, after the Armistice greater disasters and disillusion- had found itself faced by powerment will follow continual re- ful assailants, with armies confusal to face the facts of the verging on Berlin, which to meet present situation.

affords a fair test of the process of the old army a new and wellof suppressing more than half disciplined military force of three the truth. It seems impossible million men, and which, after to escape from this disregard of crushing its three assailants. fair and accurate statement found itself compelled to wage article inspired by Mr. H. V. in German cities are but shadows Keeling, a quotation is given from of children, what would have been having arrived from Vancouver, what is described as "a re- their state under the conditions B. C., via ports on August 18th. markable piece of evidence." This postulated? This comparison 1920, consignees are hereby is a pamphle: dedicated to with Central Europe constantly notified that their cargo is the British Labour Delegation by forces itself on the mind in Russia. being landed at their risk into the Dr. Vladimir Sviatlovsky. Prohazardous Godowns of the Hong- fessor of Economy at Petrograd. kong and Kowloon Wharf and Mr. Keeling states, quite wrong-Godown Company. Limited, and ly, that this pamphlet was ready with the kind and quantity of too late for the Delegation, as I food available, the method of All broken, chafed and damag- was given a copy seven weeks distribution, the open market and

Claims will not be accepted as the deficit is made good it is in Petrograd.

arrival here, after which they one goes, in Russia, and no agreed in conversations with me of bread per person per day, plus of permanent Regular sub-No Claims will be admitted authorities to disguise the gravity tislly improved in recent months. order, the reconstruction of the Artillery in excess of the number send in their bills of lading for pamphlet was to explain to the time, "food shortage that fired of the work performed. the population.

"ABSOLUTELY ISOLATED."

Dr. Sviatlovsky does not try to hide or attenuate errors, and he is obviously deeply stirred and pained by the terrible events connected with what he describes as "the hardness, harshness, and difficulty of the first moment" of the revolution, but he amphasises the immensity of the task of reconstruction which faced the Bolshavik leaders when the secured power, and the added difficulties which crowded upon them after the counter-revolution began. "Russia," he says, "is obliged to feed, dress, and warm her population by herself, to work and produce in conditions of a country absolutely isolated" -and one has to live in Russia to realise how completely it is

Three of Dr. Sviatlovsky's statements go to the heart of the food situation:

"Thus the results of the blockade and of the hostile position of the neighbouring States towards Outstanding examples of this toiling Russia are quite evident. necessity are the questions aris- In their struggle against Russia koninklyke paketyaart maatschappy ing out of the food situation, they make worse the material koninklyke paketyaart maatschappy

and the strength and spirit of the "There can be no doubt of the Red Army. It is commonly as- fact that if free trade existed, sumed and this assumption and there were not a system of is assiduously exploited by official government distribution supporters of the intervention of provisions, the poorest clauses policy, that the semi-starvation of population would suffer especi-

down, and the peasants' grievan- "In the general system of fool ces are entirely due to Bolshevik distribution children have been rule. It has been assumed fur- classed into, a separate and more

the Sovie: Government responsible I found independently abundfor this state of affairs must be ant evidence of the truth of these shockingly had and incompetent statements. Bad as the food in every department, and that its situation is in all the cities and hold on the people has been towns of Russia, you can find maintained by half a dozen men, nothing quite so terrible or exercising in some unexplained heartrending as the pictures of mysterious and miraculous way misery, especially among chila tyrannical power over a hundred dren, drawn by Mr. Gardiner and and thirty million discontented others in their descriptions of and resentful people. Hence the life among the poor in Germany

this menace had subordinated all MR. KEELING'S STATEMENTS. | civil to military needs, which Now, the question of the famine had created out of the ruins

IMPROVED CONDITIONS.

My next article will deal at 2.30 p.m. on Monday, August food which is necessary for him the famine has created in and his family, and that in so far some of the cities, especially

that things have gone steadily There is nothing remarkable in from bad to worse is unfounded,

ing in a bread-line."

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All claims must be presented this piece of evidence. The facts and Menshevists, Social Rovolu- for some time after the ration within a month of the steamer's stare one in the face wherever tionaries, and non-party people was only one-eighth of a pound As there is a considerable sur-

proved before next winter.

In the winter of 1918-19, and SURPLUS ARTILLERY OFFICERS.

attempt wh tever is made by the that the conditions have substan- With the gradual restoration of altern officers in the Royal after the goods have left the of the position. What is remark. Just before the first revolution, railways in the civil war areas, required in peace time, it has able is that the writer in the in the early part of 1917, queues the arrest of the transport de- been decided to reduce the num-Westminuter uses this isolated of people clamouring for bread cline, and the improvement of ber on the active list. All Requotation as evidence of the re- were the commonest features of the system of distribution, the gular subaltem officers of the sults of Bolshevik rule, and gives street life in Moscow and Petro- ration now ranges from half a Royal Artillery over, or as and no indication of the fact that the grad. "It was, in fact," wrote pound to one and a half pounds when they attain the age of, 35 main purpose of Dr. Sviatlovsky's one competent observer at the per day, according to the nature will consequently be placed on delegation the inhuman effects of the train that blew up the old But for the Polish war the this decision will, however, be the blockade and Entente support order. The people were tired of situation both as regards fuel permitted to retire on special in the civil war on the mass of spending most of the day shiver- would have been greatly im- terms, which will be announced.

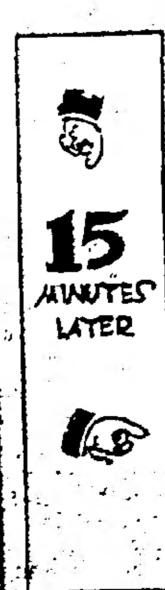
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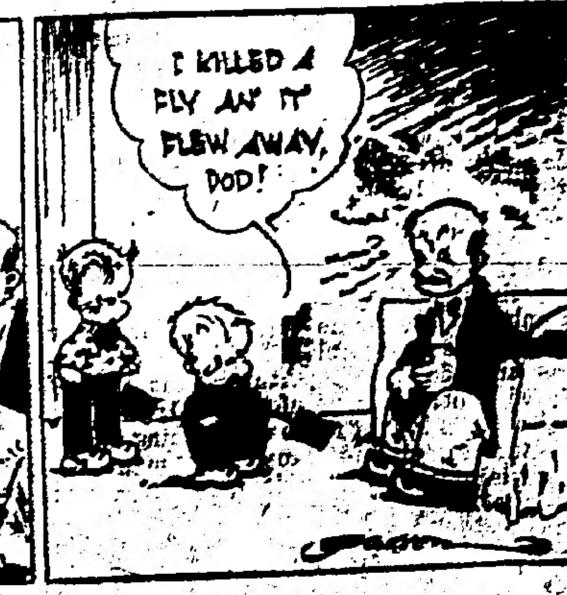
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MARRIAGE ELLIOTT-PEGDEN.-On the 21s: August, at the Peak There was a time when Since many modern roads have selling in Hongkong at in actuarial science in Columbia term has come to be applied to Church. Hongkong, by Rev. Copley Moyle, George Herbert, the question of the partition been completed in Canton, the \$164 per picul, which is \$92.25 per University. The other Filipino political voting in general. youngest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Elliott, of Wandsworth of China was more freely number of rickshas and ricksha flask, each flask containing 75lbs. students are Mr. Manuel Tinio, Common, London, S. W., to Ada Marie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. spoken about than it now coolies is increasing day by day. The local price is still below that Jr., son of General Tinio of the W. G. Pegden, of Peckham, London.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT. Mr. and Mrs. E. V. M. R. de Sousa and family desire to express given a chance; that sincere thanks for the many kind expressions of sympathy received sovereignty and integrity should about 50 cents a day after paying dealers here could sell quicksilver who goes to Columbia University eyes to find his name associated in their recent bereavement; also for the beautiful wreaths and the be safeguarded at all costs. But, the rent of his ricksha. With the to arrive. Some of the vermillion to take for foreign trade; Mr. attendance of so many friends at the funeral.

The Hongkong Telegraph

HONGKONG, MONDAY, AUGUST 23, 1920.

LABOUR AND SHIPBUILDING.

Ouite recently we have received cable information that the spread of unemployment at Home, especially in connection with the shipbuilding trade, is developing to a very serious extent. The news hardly came as a surprise, for indications have not been wanting to show that the great shipbuilding boom, which the Old Country experienced in consequence of the submarine activities of the enemy during the war, was running its length. The world has not enough ships yet, but the point is that owners, for the most part, are content to let their fleets stay at present dimensions rather than spend thousands on new tonnage, costing more and more owing to the rising labour and material costs. The position is interesting, because it shows that high wages, demanded by workers, have had the effect, at least in part, of curtailing the amount of work for them to perform. In other words, high wages have helped to rob them of a livelihood.

This viewpoint is held by many interested in shipbuilding at Home, for the opinion has been treely expressed that if it were not for the penny-wise policy of the workers Britain would be in a very fortunate position. Unfortunately the labour element appear determine in their mad craze for higher wages and less works to put the British shipbuilding and engineering industries down and out. There are those who believe that unless the British worker can be brought to see, we will not say reason, but where his own interests lie, our great industries are in real danger of being killed. Quite apart from what may be the decision of the Industrial Court on the last wages demand, the shipbuilding industry has had its wages bill forced up to a false level which threatens to topple over the whole structure of shipbuilding finance and leave it on the ground. Shipowners are themselves faced with such high costs of operation that they have to watch the capital price of new ships with very keen eves. "Shipowners are not only indisposed to place" new contracts on any but a definite price basis, but are actually paying forfeit on contracts already signed. This is a sinister portent. If shipowners will not contract for new tonnage under the old customs because of the uncertainty as to the ultimate price, and shipbuilders are unwilling to accept fixed price contracts for the reason that they cannot rely on building costs remaining constant, then a situation has been reached which threatens the industry at its very heart. We have said before, and it is well to repeat it, that labour has in its hands to-day not merely the making or marring of its own fortunes, but those of British industry as well. It ought to be obvious that what not to do! But what do ber of friends at the Palace Hotel, ments owing to the failure of the this year Hongkong exported were then known in Western only from a prosperous industrial situation can high wages be we think of the advice? Well, Kowloon, when he was presented Havana merchants to take de- 64,868 piculs of peanuts valued at Europe. The Primate has the derived; but to hear some of the labour leaders talk one would be overwork may be justified by what by Mr. L. J. Blackburn with a livery of cargoes contracted by £141,216, against 68,307 piculs power of conferring medical, as led to believe that the springs of our national wealth flow from a is accomplished. A man who gold wrist watch. Many speeches them, and to urge the Caban valued at £102,806 in the second well as other, degrees, but for the source which is maintained by supernatural agencies. Perhaps the makes some discovery of benefit were delivered expressing esteem Government to use their influence quarter of last year. Of this most part exercises this privilege, hard lesson that there is no source of real wealth but work may only to mankind might well cut his life for the recipient. whilst much to obtain fair treatment for South China took £28,054 only by bestowing D.D. or B.D. be brought home to the malcontents by a period of hardship and short indoing it. But to what end is amusement was caused by the American interests. unemployment.

Things are drifting that way already, and yet the men who are in this book to be devoted? To eable messages. The musical going to feel the pinch first and hardest are still discussing the the pursuit of money! nationalisation of industry, and whether another rise in time rates can be squeezed out of employers, some of whom are already at their wits' end how to carry on. There are signs that the coming winter is going to be a period of unemployment on a large scale, not because there could not be work in abundance, but because consumers cannot pay the price demanded, and which arises in the Prussian Diet recently rejected main from the insistence by the trade unions of high and yet higher the motion of the Independents in wages for low and yet lower rates of output. With these two factors favour of the State confiscating moving in inverse ratio, orders for British shipyards and engineeing the entire fortune of the former establishments are bound to show a falling off. The pity of it all is reigning princes. Herr Schulz, that if the workers would only put away the false doctrines they the Financial Councillor, estimatcherish as to output and wages and their relation to the employ- ed the fortune of the Hohenzolment problem. Britain has an industrial opportunity the like of lerns in Germany at between which will never be presented to her again. Unfortunately the men 250,000,000 and 300,000,000 marks in the yards and the shops has been taught to jib at anything like a (£1,666,000,000 to £2,000,000 at commonsense view of the situation, and to "guy" the man who present rates). The Social ventures to tell them a few plain truths. Yet it is necessary to Democratic speakers insisted that continue to preach the gospel of work, the truth of which will unditbe huge sums in the possession fortunately be brought home to doubters in the near future by what of the Hohenzollerns was a permay prove to be a series of very unpleasant facts.

NOTES & COMMENTS.

CHINA'S POSTAL SERVICE.

past year, the general section of TO KILL-Chero. which we published on Saturday, makes most interesting reading, showing, as it does, that this activities is being consistently improved. In all, the articles of mail matter posted totalled 340 millions, which is an increase of to-day. the previous year. These figures are almost beyond comprehension; their immensity should is 73 years of age, has challenged per picul for sizes 14,5/16 and spread ramifications of China's Hongkong) whose years are 69, be "shipped postal service, which is now to an all-round athletic contest. becoming more and more appreciated by the people and catering to their wants with read of the progress which has been made in the development of long. this branch of the administration we cannot but feel that the success is a tribute to the foreign control exercised. Here, as in the case of the Customs and the Salt Gabelle, we have foreigners at the head, directing the working of the department and giving of their experience to the manifest advantage of the whole

FOREIGN AID.

there are many who think that board and lodging. it would be to her own interests were there a larger measure of foreign direction exercised in the government of the country. In other words, it would pay China to get others to manage her business until she is really fit for the job herself, on the understanding, of course, that the \$20. One of the assailants was integrity of the country is not infringed. There is something in the idea.

THE PURSUIT OF MONEY.

Hongkong doesn't boas: many millionaires, that we are aware occurred to us the other day day despatched back to Canton. when we happened across a book on efficiency in office management. Here are a few of the bints which it contains:-

at hand.

Learn to use the left hand as well as the right!

Outside the office, avoid the the "newspaper habit!"

Read only what is essential! Literature? A waste of time! Never jest with a caller in business hours!

templation!

Efficiency!!!

HOHENZOLLERN MILLIONS.

The Judicial Committee of the manent danger to the Republic.

DAY BY

EVERY EVIL IS EASILY CRUSH-The report on the working of ED AT BIRTH, WHEN IT GROWS the Chinese postal service for the OLD, IT RECOMES TOO OBSTINATE to be shown in the metals market

> There was a clean hill of health in the Colony on Saturday.

Mr. Justice Skinner Turner

Sir Claude de Crespigny, who half inch and upwards, and \$12

Amateur photographers will be interested to learn that Messrs. A. Tack and Co. have just unpacked a large consignment of Eastman Kodaks and films, which arrived by the Empress of Russia.

the winners.

Two Chinese employees of the Dutch boat Groningen were on Saturday night near the United Services Recreation Club set upon by a gang of robbers who threw pepper into their eyes, and stole from their persons a sum of arrested by a watchman, and to-Worship remanded the case give his decision to-morrow.

the people in it. The pursuit of received from the Lisbon Govern- and the United States. This has nations." the almighty dollar" is quite a ment, the Chinese gunboat Kong. somewhat demoralised the well-recognised pastime here; tai and the torpedo boat Luichun, market. nay, more, it's an obsession with which have been interned at too many of us. But perhaps Macao since the recent incident, that isn't to be wondered at in a were handed over to Commander glide down, the price to-day commercial centre like this. Lui Yin-shan of the Canton being \$8.50 per picul, with no especially since our currency Government on Wednesday last. values are double those remem- After signing an official document

Labour Ministry.

Walk fast! No idle con- the K. C. C. who is going Home instructed the Legation at methods. on leave by the s.s. Plassy on Havana to lay before the Cuban Thursday, was on Saturday night Government the seriousness of Now we all know what and entertained to dinner by a num- the situation regarding rice shipthe concentrated effort advocated reading of a number of faked programme was much enjoyed, the band of the Nanking.

"SLEFPING INFLUENZA."

food poisoning.

CURRENT COIN.

[BY "MERCATOR".]

The activity that was beginning

has harled out, and the market during the week has been weak. There has been no further enquiries from India, Java and ing on board the C.P.O.S. Empress Baffinland has been chosen for Burms for iron and steel goods, or number was outlied and of bou will be able to roam unrewith Saigon in round bars. A local and his wife left by the Nanking with Saigon in round para, A month Philippine Inlands in Universal than 30 years ago there were 150 tons of steel round bars at the price of \$3.90 per picul for sizes make us realise in part the wide- Sir James Cantlie (formerly of Binch. These will apparently are five student pensinados of the ed, as the buffalo was destroyed Saigon. It is stated have heavy arrivals of iron and steel in the United States and three caribon akin as an article of The total output of the Kailan goods into Java, the Straits other Filipino students also on clothing, and the meat is still a regularity and certainty Mining Administration's mines Settlements, and India, and it is their way to the United States. | more valuable, being very rich in that, in the circumstances, is for the week ending 7th August, not likely that these markets. The Director of Posts, Mr. Jose amounted to 92,974 tons and the will buy for sometime from Hong- Topacio, is the other representasales during the period, to 63,922 kong, unless certain classes of tive of the Philippine Islands in goods which they may happen to the Universal Postal Convention, words should be interested in run short of at the moment. If and he will meet Judge the reports of the American anything, the rising Hongkong Rumualder in Madrid before the political conventions. They indollar makes our prices dearer to Convention opens. The pen-variably speak of the votes given Saigon and the other centres that sionados on board the Empress to different candiates as such and have of late been drawing on this are Mr. Faustino Manago, who such a "ballot." This use of the market for their supplies. Tin- will specialize in corporations in term is really a misnomer, for plates have declined to \$11.50 per the University of Michigan; Mr. the various State delegations case, at which price it is likely Vicente G. Manalo, who goes to announce their choice openly. that some business may result. New York to take up courses in This appears to be one of those At the Happy Valley on Friday Steel plates are steady, although naval engineering; Mr. Mariano instances in which the precise Chinese people. What is more, afternoon, the R. A. O. C. beat there is no demand for them at Concepcion, who will take up sense of a word has been obscurwe get honest administration, and the R. A. M. C. by 46, games to present. In B. H. P. lead stocks the study of commercial red through looseness in popular what that means could best 35 in a Garrison Tennis League are scarce, and the price is called statistics in Chicago University; usage. It is, of course, of the be told by the big revenues match. Capt Spinks and Con- at \$13 per picul, Australian mills Mr. Cornelio Balmaceda, who essence of a ballot that the vote which flow into the nation's ductor Haynes played well for refusing to make any offers in will take up the study of should be given secretly, but as the meantime. The London foreign commerce at Harvard the process of most political quotation for quicksilver is University; and Mr. Norberto elections nowadays is described. £20 per flask, while it is Marchadesch, who will specialize quite correctly, as balloting, the is. To day most foreign nations Some 1,850 rickshas and 3,700 prevailing at Home, and should Philippines, who goes to Cornell agree that China should be ricksha coolies are now in Canton. it come down in London to £18.10 University to study mechanical her A ricksha coolie is able to earn there will be a good trade, for the engineering; Mr. Arsenio Hizon, whils: that is as it should be, 50 cents he has to pay for his manufacturers are offering \$164 Pablo Tecson and Mr. Y. Banzon. per picul for quicksilver to arrive Dr. Guazon, of the Philippine publish. But, after all, is not within two or three months. In Ceneral Hospital at Manila is Belgian window glass the market also on his way to the United one should love or remain a fool is weaker owing to the heavy States.

arrivals last week by the In speaking of their represent- And certainly Mr. Saintsbury Yokohama Marn and a couple of atives to the postal Convention, proves a fascinating and scholarother Japanese vessels. Someten the Filipinos on the Empress of ly appraiser of good wine. And thousand boxes arrived, and Russia declared that no better he has some good stories to tell. dealers are offering their stocks at selection could have been made On the subject of sherry \$12 per case without finding than Judge Romualdez and the colbler," he says "I was taught buyers. The market is certainly Director of Posts. This proves to make it when I was an underoverstocked at present with to the world once more, they graduate by no less a person day charged before the Court. Belgian window glass, and this stated, "the earnest desire, the than the late Father Stanton, fact is giving the Chinese dealers national sentiment and capability who was as good a fellow as he the cold feet. In round bars of the Philippine Islands for self- was a godly man." arrivals during the past few days government. It is another strong have been five to six bundred evidence of their fitness to assume of. But that isn't the fault of In accordance with instructions tons from the United Kingdom their place in the concert of And here is a portrait of a

The rice market continues to

UNIVERSAL POSTAL CONVENTION.

P. L DELEGATE IN HONGKONG.

the two representatives of the stricted and to multiply. Less Postal Convention to be held in vast numbers of caribou in Nor-Judge Romualdez is on his way of the trader and the ignorance to the Convention. With him of the Eskimo they were destroyor Philippine Government who are in the Western States of America. being sent to specialize in various There is scarcely anything recently courses in different universities manufactured which can equal

best patent roller flour will be

movement of the cereal to anywhere. There is not likely to peanuts and peanut oil from Beulah, if not of Heaven itselfbered by most of us as existing a acknowledging the receipt of the be any demand on account of the Hongkong shows a big increase, which good wine gives to worthy general collapse of the rice and during the past five years it countenances." It is amusing to markets in Europe and America. has advanced from a compara- come across the "wine slang" of The position of the market in tively insignificant industry into the good old anti-pussyfoot days. Sir Matthew Nathan, the new Saigon is very much in sympathy a very lucrative one. The dis- To read of wine having the true Governor of Queens land, has a with ours, for, contrary to ex- covery of the utilisation of the "gun-flint" taste, of good liquor difficult task before him, judging pectations, the rice market there peanut oil in manufacturing soap kept too long that is "dumb" or Do all your thinking of busi- from the cabled reports of the remains in the same lethargic as a substitute for olive oil and "withered." And how many who ness matters by looking down reception of the news of his ap- condition, with prices still on the for various culinary purposes scan the modern wine-list sigh at your desk. Don't look out pointment, says Truth. The acting decline. The quotation for white such as mixing with oil of olive we wonder, for a perof the window or around the leader of the Labour Ministry Saigon rice, No. 2 sifted, Japan to increase its flavour, has given fect partridge-eye champagne?" office. There are many things characterises it as an outrage on quality, is Hk. \$7.60 per picul the trade a tremendous impetus, Tales of a day that is dead! out there that will set your constitutional government and f.o.b. Saigon for shipment this while the recent discovery that mind wandering from the work an insult to Australia. This is month. From January 1st to the nut, after baking, makes a because the Colonial Secretary July 20th of this your Saigon good substitute for coffee and has refused to confirm the tem- exported 1,825,883 tons as com- for mixing with chocolate and porary appointment of Mr. pared with 1,738,080 tons for the cocos and an ingredient in biscuit Lennon, an adherent of the same period last year. I see making has provided another that the Rice Association of reason for increased exportation. California has received a It will undoubtedly take some telegram for the State Depart- time to educate the Chinese to Mr. J. M. Jack, a prominent ment at Washington intimating the advantage of extracting the member of the golfing section of that the State Department had oil from the peanuts by modern

> worth, and the United States on eminent divines, and Mus 6,588 piculs of the value Doc on distinguished musicians. of £19,892 against 595 piculs Recipients of Lambeth degrees" The flour market is fairly valued £1,359 during the cor- wear the hood of the University including, as it did, selections by steady. The only Australian responding period last year. In to which the Archbishop belongs. flour available for export peanut oil we exported in all this Mr. Barker, for instance, would been that made from quarter 29,799 piculs of the value have worn the D.M. of Oxford. "B" grade wheat. Some of of £164,219, against 27,528 piculs this has been offering here and valued at £102,023 last year. The elsewhere, but the quality of the share of the United States of Victorian "B" grade wheat is America in this trade was 7,029 doubtedly develop a considerable A disease described as "sleep- considered so poor that no one piculs (£44,406) against 9,945 ing influenza" has broken out in wishes to handle flour made from piculs (£41,808), South China the Netherton mining district of this grain. No wheat is yet 7,572 piculs (£34,368) against Northumberland, and cases are available for export from the 3,941 piculs (£12,645), the Straits industry has caused a brisk jobecoming prevalent. Reporting Commonwealth, the Government Settlements 6,133 picula (£34,715) crease in the development of upon it Dr. Hudson, the Medical there intending to hold on to the against 5,184 picule (£19,429), peanut by-products. Among the Officer, stated it differed from the surplus from this year's crop and the United Kingdom only most important should be menfamiliar type of influenza in that until prospects of the 1920-1921 £8,801 against £5. There tioned peanut oil, peanut meal, its principal symptoms are vomit- crop are assured. I am toki that are a few factories in the Colony peanut bulls and peanut flour. ing, diarrhoea, abdominal pains, some decision will be arrived at that extract the oil from peanuts Few crops have experienced such and general aching and drow- probably by the end of this month by means of power presses, and a rapid growth in acreage and siness. It closely resembles acute or early in September, and from if this method is adopted by the production as has that of the then on parcels of wheat and Chinese generally there will un- peanut during recent years.

TO-DAY'S MISCELLANY.

None too soon, the Canadian Government have decided to preserve some of the remaining Among the passengers who berds of caribon, the barren arrived here on Saturday morn- ground reindeer of the Arctic. Madrid, Spain, on October 1 next, thern Alaska, but by the cupidity fat in the fall of the year.

The specialist in the history of

Those who are familiar with the valuable critical work of Mr. George Saintsbury will rub their with "Notes on a Cellar Book," which Messrs. Macmillan wine one of the three things that his whole life long? There is an old rhyme to that effect, anyway.

gentleman who drank port as it should be drunk: "A trial of the bouquet; a slow sip; a rather larger and slightly less slow one. and so on; but never a gulp; and during the drinking his face exchanged its usual bluff and almost brusque aspect for the peculiar Each year the exports of blandness—a blandness as of

"Lambeth degrees," one of which has just been refused to Mr. Barker, the well-known surgeon, are said, not quite correctly, to be a survival from the time when the Archbishop of Canterbury was "perpetual legate" of the Pope. They really arose from the fact that Oxford and Cambridge Universities were at first voluntary associations of clergy, for the purpose of promot-During the second quarter of ing whatever arts and sciences

demand for such presses.

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AMOY EDUCATION.

Amoy, August 19. of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Weed for America removed from Amoy 1 one of the oldest foreign residents. and from the Tung Wen Institute its Superintendent for the past twenty-one years. During the last few weeks Mr. and Mrs. Weed have been guests at numerous dinners and tiffin parties. given in their honour by their Chinese and foreign friends. They bave been the recipients of many beautiful gifts from the friends who regret to lose them. The trustees of Tung Wen Institute. the teachers, the former students

and the present student body held several meetings in Mr. Weed's honour, and as many of them as could do so gathered at the "Hailoong" to wish him a pleasant voyage and a successful

future in America.

sititute is a monument to the found to carry on service which Mr. Weed has work. A year ago rendered Amoy. Mr. Weed came Roy Allgood was called to to Amoy twenty-one years ago Tung Wen Institute to develop from the Philippines, where he the science department, and to had been sent with the American be Acting Superintendent while troops in 1898. When he first Mr. Weed made a trip to the took up his work as the Superin- United States to obtain two tendent of the recently founded additional teachers, one Tunz Wen Institute it was little become head of the high school more than a school in name, with idepartment, the other to be only a few students receiving principal of the first college instruction in small rented department to be established quarters in the city. Through While in America he also took his untiring efforts and leader- the first step toward establishing I have not hesitated to recomship the school has been built up an efficient library in the school, mend Dr. Williams' pink pills in until it now has about 409 by ordering 250 reference as many cases of ailments resultstudents and two modern build- volumes. ings, an academic building and a dormitory. These buildings can- securing the men he was looking to my notice among my acquaint- Jack; 2, Taylor. not provide adequate space for for, Mr. Weed returned to Amoy ances. And in the different Plunging: 1, Baxter; 2, R. of his wife, and on his call rousing the growing student body, and last February. In March. Mr. towns where I have ministered Lapsley. next year will see work begun J. M. Howes arrived to take as parish priest since then I have | Girls' race under 14 (Mr. on two additional buildings, one charge of a college department, seen many proofs of the excellent Neave's prizes): 1, D. Goodman; for the science department, offering work in the social results obtained with this re- 2, E. Bell. the other for the Chinese depart- sciences. This month will see nowned remedy. ment. Laboratory equipment to the arrival of Mr. Calvin Hirsch the amount of \$2,500 has already who comes to take charge of the above, and feeling that I have Cup): 1, G. Jack; 2, V. Ramssy. arrived, and is only awaiting the high school department. Since thus fulfilled my duty for the completion of the science building his return in February, Mr. to provide Tung Wen Institute Weed has been busy effectwith a chemical and physical ing a complete reorganizalaboratory which will compare tion of the school well with the laboratories of drawing up a new constitution to American high schools and provide for the establishing of colleges.

with the future of the school in The graduates of Tung Wen mind, and in all his work had the Institute now number about 200 confidence and support of the and reside in all parts of China. Although desiring for the past students, the trustees and old a specific for diseases due to blood Cup): L Taylor; 2, Millard. Chinese trustees and teachers. They, the present teachers and two or three years to retire be- friends of Mr. Weed will miss him. cause of failing health, he was whom they have known as teaunwilling to leave the school oher, savisor and friend.

DAIRY FARM MILK.

THE TUNG WEN INSTITUTE. TO COST MORE IN FUTURE, an intimate friend. The eldest

Farm Co., Ltd., that as from the a delicate condition, looked as if The departure, on August 16th. 1st September, the price of their her life were fading away." She milk, now 12 cents per bottle, was so very weak and so depresswill be 15 cents, but that the ed in spirit that she felt no desire recent charge of 50 cents per for anything but solitude. month for the use of the Com-1 "I loved and still love this pany's bottles will then cease.

years that the price of the Com- their misery, the more so when I pany's milk has been increased. learned that the doctors could and the step is now rendered not ascertain the nature of the necessary owing to the steady child's malady. I went into conrise in the cost of cattle, fodder, sultation with several physicians utensils and labour costs, which deserving of all my confidence. are very considerable. Indeed, but no one seemed to know what come into the possession of the we are advised that the Com- to do in so strange a case, usual Kowloon Dock was utilised on pany's milk department has been treatments to overcome the Sunday by the holding of a running at a loss of late, and had weakness having proved unavail- swimming gala which is intended it not been for the high exchange ing. rates prevailing, the price would have to be increased to an even higher level.

The present Tung Wen In- until satisfactory men had been

collegiate work, and the future Mr. Weed has always worked growth of the institution.

LAWN BOWLS.

KOWLOON'S NARROW ESCAPE.

The Kowloon Bowling Green Club almost lost their run of unbroken successes on Saturday when they met the Police on the latter's green. The result was a win for the visitors by a margin of one point, the scores being: Kowloon, 45; Police, 44. The Police won two out of the three rinks. Details :-

Police. Kowloon. Grant Farrell Robertson 0ggParkes Clark Gow (skip).

Blackman Johnstone Clark Grav Grimmitt McIver

(skip) ... 14 (skip) ... 16 Knight

Lapaley Chapman Puncheon Russell (skip) ... 18

Mair Watt Gerrard (skip) ... 13

TAIKOO V. K.C.C. This match was played on the Taikoo green on Saturday, the result being a win for Taikoo who were up on all rinks. No details are to hand.

TOLD BY THE PARISH PRIEST.

A STORY OF CUBA.

At Capasi, in the island of Cuba, there lives the Reverend Father Villanueva, a priest who, like so many others of his cloth, is a "father" in deed as well as in name to the members of his flock. Hence it arose that he became interested in the affairs of the family Sicre, with what result be has since narrated as

:: awolle "Some time ago when I was Parish priest in the village of Carlos Rojas there lived in the village a family of whom I was daughter, a beautiful child twelve We are informed by the Dairy years of age whose health was in

family with all my soul, and This is the first time in 18 therefore soon took upon myself

> " At about this time a few booklets regarding Dr. Williams' pink pills for pale people came into competitions were keenly conmy hands, and reading in them testimonials of similar cases sent for a few bottles of pills and took them to my friend Mr. Julio Sicre, father of the child. I can truthfully say that the improvement was so rapid that in about fifteen days we had the pleasure of noticing the child cheerful and happy, full of colour and life. Everything in her seemed to have undergone a change; instead of being pale as before she now had a rosy complexion and her mind. before clouded by her malady. was now clear.

"In consideration of these facts ing from impoverished blood or Having been successful in weakened nerves as have come

"Testifying to the truth of the good of my fellow-beings, I sign Ogilvie; 2, Bliss. my name, TEODORR VIL-LANUEVA, Pbro."

Readers of this paper can obtain Dr. Williams' pink pills for pale people from local medicine vendors, or, if preferred, one bottle for a dollar and a half, six Cooper. for eight dollars, post free from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co... 96 Szechuen Road, Shanghai. As enjoy a reputation which en-scratch: 1, Howell (men); circles the world.

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CORONET.

AQUATIC GALA.

AT KOWLOON DOCK BEACH.

The bathing beach which has to be an annual affair in future. There was a brave display of flags and bunting, and the various tested, some excellent sport being witnessed. Amongst those who worked hard to make the event the success it was may be mentioned Mr. J. Parkes, the Chairman of the Recreation Committee; Mr. K. Mackaskill, the Hon. Secretary; and Mr. W. Davison, who were assisted by many willing helpers. The events resulted as

follows: 50 yds. h'cap.: 1, Taylor; 2, Hen-

Derby Race: 1, W. Ramsay; 2, Mackenzie. 50 rds. championship (Gardiner

Cup): 1, G. Jack; 2, Taylor. 50 yds. ladies h'cap.: 1, M. Ramsay; 2. G. Ramsay. Diving (Captain Liddell's Cup)

, G. Jack; 2, A. G. Martin. - uproar of crackers. When the 100 yds. championship: 1, G.

Greasy pole: 1, Guiterrez. Long distance race (Mr. Dyer's

bo yds. h'cap for boys: 1. Veterans' 50 yds. h'cap.: Allan; 2, Lapsley. Somersault: 1, J. Puncheon: 2, G. Puncheon (father and son).

Graham's Cup): 1, Baxter; Derby race final: 1, Ramsay; 2, Mackenzie. 100 yds. h'esp (Mr. Brayfield's

50 yds. h'cap final (Mr.

Tillery (boys).

There was also a race on the beach for the little ones, each of whom got a speon.

Mrs. W. Davison gracefully presented the prizes, being presented |] with a beautiful bouquet in holder.

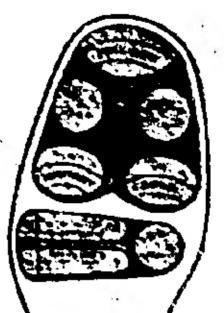
Mr. Parkes in the course of a brief speech expressed the gratitude of the staff to the Dock Company for the splendid facilities now given them for recreation and especially mentioned the keen interest of the Chief Manager, who, although absent in England. had presented one of the prizes. The event which had been so successful was their first of the kind and he trusted it would become an annual one, with, possibly, an open event for the Colony. (Applause). He named individually all who had given prizes and thanked them on behalf of his Committee for their support, concluding by calling for three cheers and a tiger for Mrs.

Davison: The response was a most hearty

Mr. W. Russel thanked the President and Committee on behalf of the visitors for a most delightful afternoon, the chief portion of his speech being unfortunately lost in an untimely din had subsided Mr. Davidson thanked the Committee on behalf cheers and a tiger were given for President Parkes, Mr. Mackaskill. and all who had striven to make the opening swimming gala of the staff such a success.

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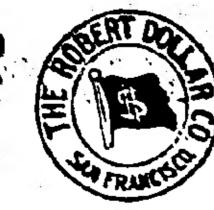
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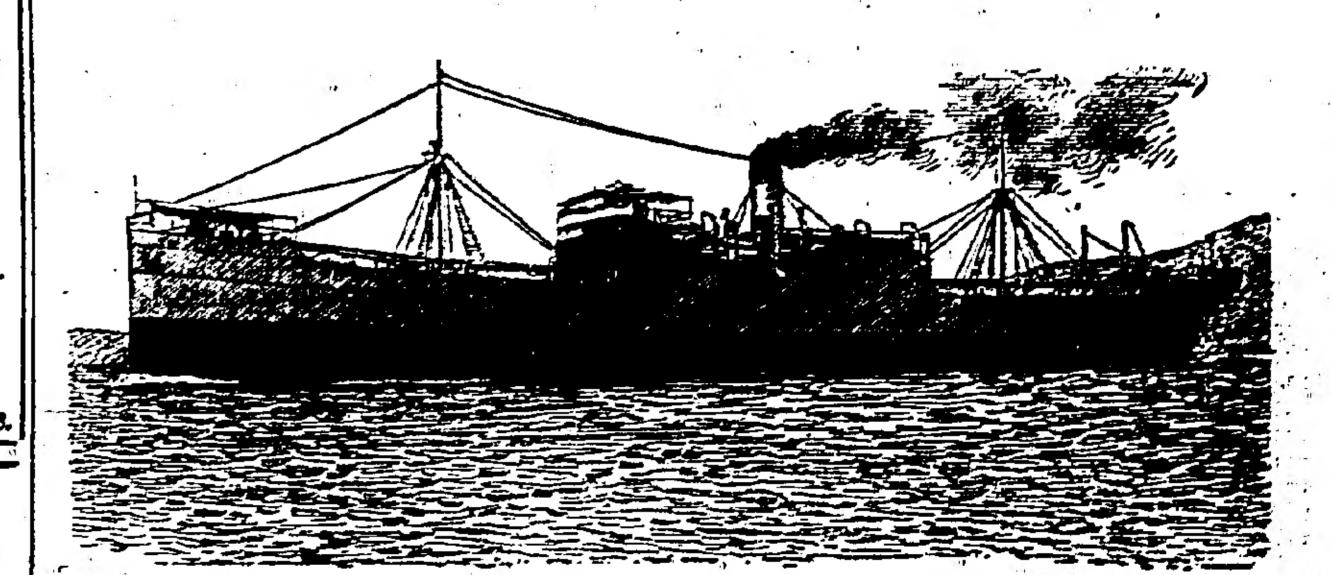
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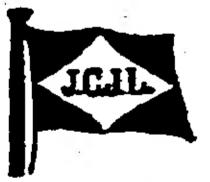
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(Liverpool Line.) left Liverpool for this port via Suez on the 28th July and is expected here on the 12th Sept. - . The N. Y. K. s.s. TOTOMI M.

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for Hongkong and is due here on The s.s. ANYO MARU arrived at Yokohama on the 8th instant being due at this port 27th inst.

The N. Y. K. a.s. SADO VARU (European Line.) left London for this port via Suez on the 7th August, and is expected here on . the 16th Sept. The N. Y. K. a.s. YETOROFU

for this port direct on the 13th August and is expected here on the 30th August.

The a.s. SHINYO M. arrived at Yokohama on the 11th inst. and sailed on the lath instant. being due at. Hongkong 24th inst. in accordance with schedule. The N. Y. K. S.B. CEYLON M. (Calcutta Line.) left Kobe for this port via Yokohama, Nagoya and Moji on the 14th August and is expected here on the 28th August

The s.s. PROMETHEUS (Blue Funnel Line.) left Shanghai on 18th inst. for London and Hamburg via Hongkong. Vessel is due here on 31st inst and willsail, as above, on 23rd id-

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PINS IS ARRIGAD, NAME AND York, due to arrive on 2nd Sept. The s.s. METHVEN, from Singapore is expected to arrive here on Wednesday, the 25th

The R. M. S. MONTEAGLE, arrived at Shanghai on 21st Aug. left the 21st Aug. and is due at Moji on 23rd August.

The N. Y. K. S.S. AKITA M. (New York Line.) left Moji for The N.Y. K. as. TENSHIN M. (Bombay Line.) left Moji for this port on the 20th Aug. and is expected here on the 25th Aug. The N. Y. K. s.s. TOTOMI M. 'Ca'cutta Line.) lest Singapore for this port on the 20th August

August. The M. Y. K. a.s. FUSHIMI M. (American Line) left Kobe for this port via Nagasski, Shanghai, Manila on the 22nd August and is expected here on the 3rd Sept. The N. Y. K. s.s SHIDZUOKA MARU (European Line.) left Shangasi for this port on the 22nd Aug. and is expected here. on the 25th August.

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AGED CANON MARRIES HIS SECRETARY

A sensation has been caused in East Lincoln hire by the marriage, in his 92nd year, of the Rev. Canon John Shrappel Warren, to his secretary, Miss

Marsb. Canon Warren, son of a vicar. of Ancaster, was born at Beverley. Yorks. He was educated at Rugby and St. Catherine's College. Cambridge, was for a short time curate at North Cave, Yorks, and reld the livin of Laugioft, Lines,

from 1858 to 1875. In 1865 he became a J.P. for Lincolnahire, and in 1895 Premndary of Lincoln Cathedral. Is has held the living of

Willoughby since 1875. It was only recently that anon Warren resigned the hairmanship of the Alford Pitty issions. He is a prominent setotaller and was as keen mistater in his younger days. His fling wife died Just your.

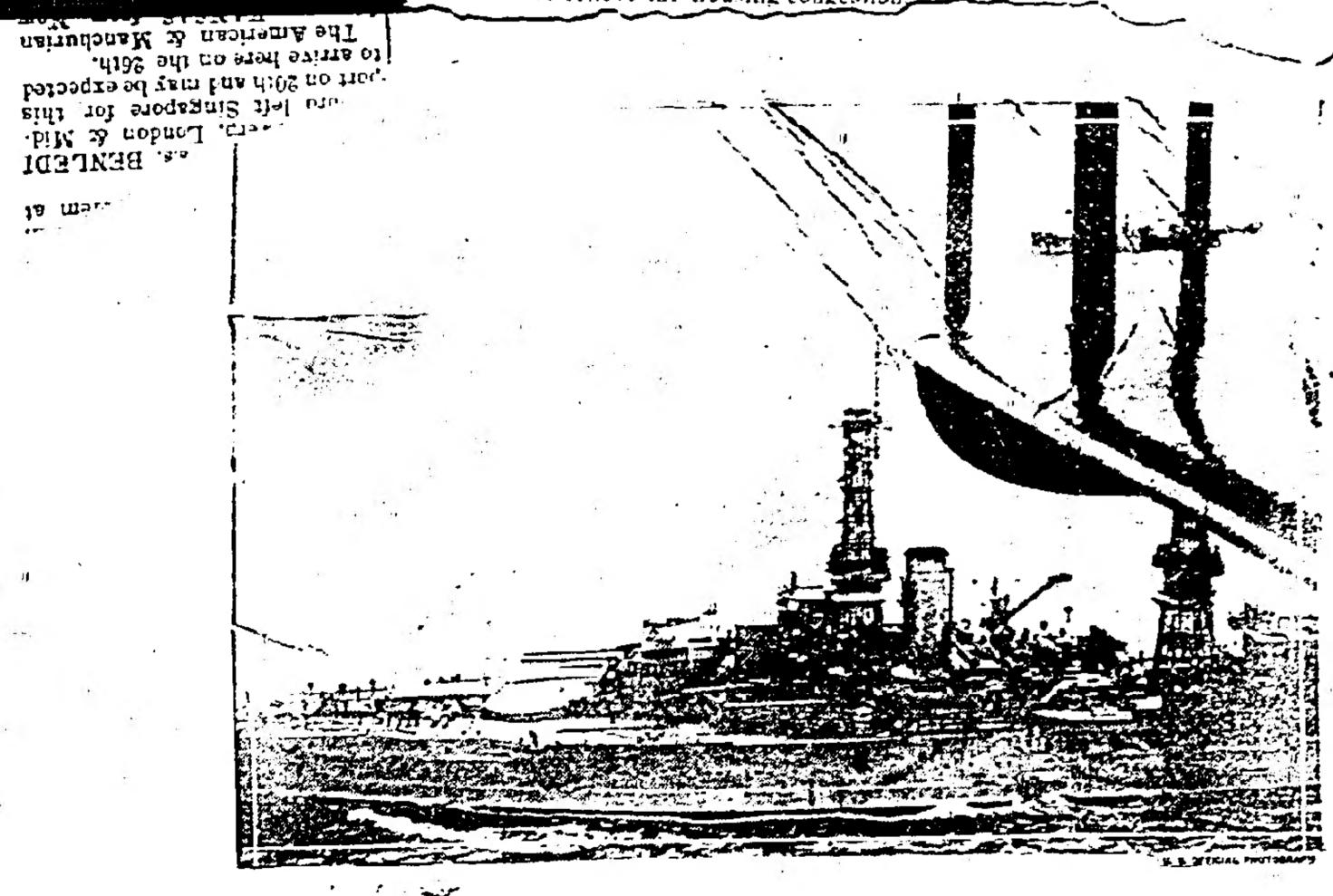
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TO-DAY'S PICTURES.



TENTS TO HOUSE PEOPLE

Two hundred Army tents are being erected at Newark, N.J., to relieve the housing congestion



ATLANTIC FLEET IN NEW YORK HARBOUR.

This photo made from a Navy scaplane shows in interesting detail the superstructure of one of these floating forts—guns—fighting masts—wireless apparatus, etc.



IN MEXICO.

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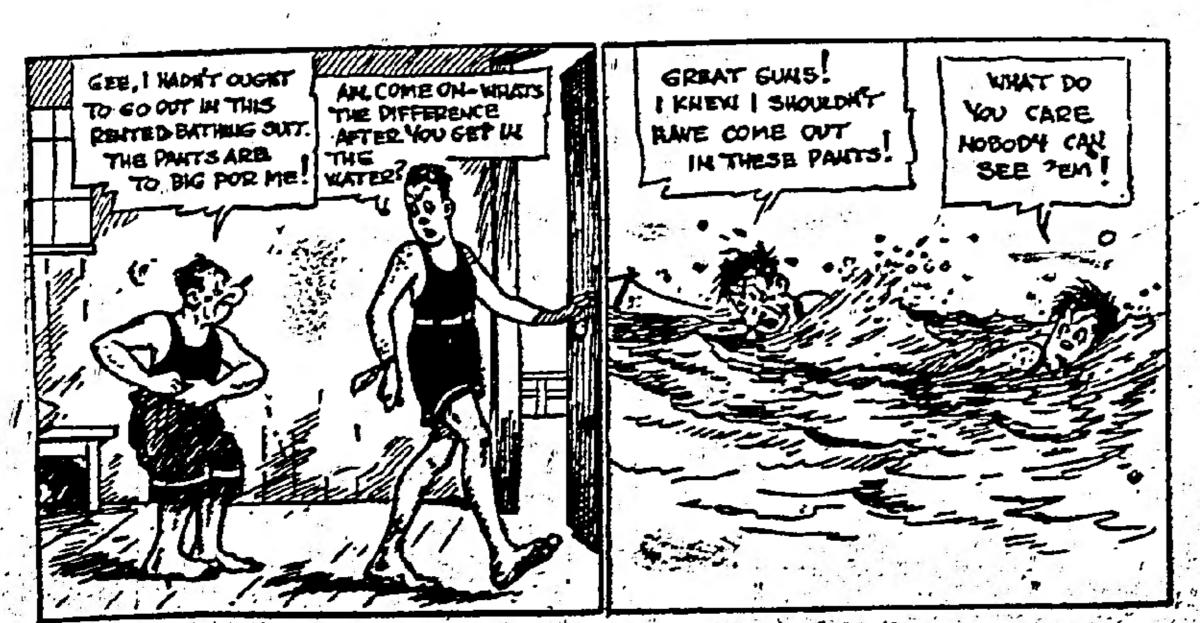


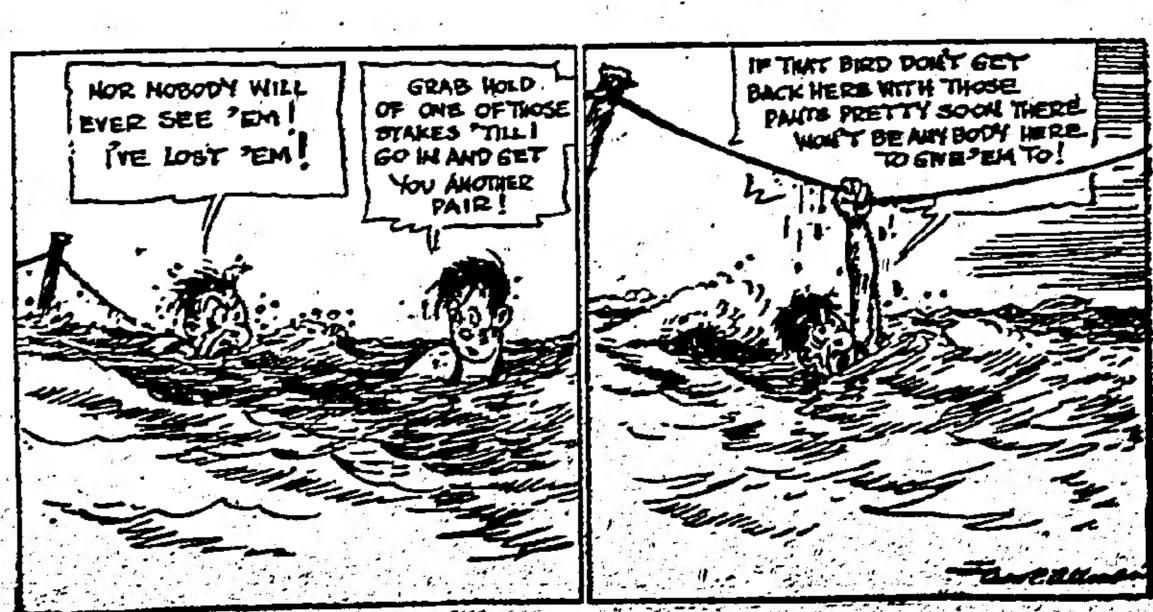
ANNETTE KELLERMAN AND BENNY LEONARD. Annette Kellerman, the famous swimmer, is now taking up boxing as a recreation and is here seen sparring with Benny Leonard.

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ROMAN ROAD DISCOVERED. While engaged in digging a man-hole, workmen have discovered what is believed to be part of a Roman road about one mile from Farnham on the road to Alton. The road is five feet below the existing thoroughfare, aud so hard was the surface that | drills and steel wedges had to be used to penetrate the flint and coment surface. A road expert has discovered that the depth of the surface dressing is one foot and that the flints are similar to those used in building Farnham Castle. It is probable that this road is part of the Roman road Win chester 10

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Aug., 11 a.m. Tunkin-TAISHIN, M., 24th Aug., 5 p.m. Swatow, Shanghai & N. China-

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9 s.m.

26th Aug., 11 a.m.

19 15 a.m. Letters 10 a.m.

9.45 a.m. Letters 10.30 a.m. FRIDAY, 27TH AUG.

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27th Aug. 11 a.m.

1 p.m. BATURDAY, 23TH AUG.

28th Aug., 3 p.m.

TUESDAY, 31ST AUG. Swatow, Amoy and Foochow-1 p.m.

THURSDAY, 9TH SEPT.

Straits, Bangkot, Caylon, Mauritius, L. Marques, S. Africa. Unions frame new proposals Egypt & EUROPE VIA MAR. 9th Sept., Reg. 9.45 a.m. Letters 10.37 a.m.

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> war rates. Furthermore, though increases to adjust their pay to Shanghai Loans prices rose steadily from the first the cost of living. few days of the outbreak of war, it was not until many months later that wages began to move in sympathy, and the figures I have examined for the successive months since show prices always leading by from 30 to 50 per cent. until a year or so ago, when wages showed a slight tendency to move more quickly than prices.

INEQUALITY OF THE BURDEN.

Nagasaki, Canada, United uniform too per cent. On the by the use of trade union power Steam Laundries B. America and EUROPE VIA wages conceded to meet it have to obtain fresh concessions such Steam Laundries B. Steel Foundries B. VARCOUVER-Per EMPRESS been distributed with an in. as the miners are now pressing Water-boats OF RI'SSIA, 26th Aug., Reg. equality that ought to appeal to for. the Labour and Socialist ad- The unfortunate thing is that Wm. Powells Straits, Bangkok, Ceylon, Mauri. Vocates of equality, but, unfort- the workers who are pressing Wisemans tius, S. Africa. L. Marques, unately, does tot do so if one may their leaders to fresh efforts in Bk. East Asia India via Dhanushkodi, judge by the way in which they the mad race hetween wages and H.K. Fires Exypt and Europe via support this unfair distribution of prices are blissfully unaware of Centrals Marseilles - Per SHID the increases. Several factors the fact that what they gain is ZUOKA M.. 26th Aug., Reg. have contributed towards this in- won at the expense of their less equality in distributing war time fortunate fellows, instead of at wages concessions. Chief of them the expense of the much-abused is the mistake of the flot rate of capitalist. When the workers war bonus, a mistaken principle realise this they will recognise the munition worker, and, un miners are making, and realise Keelung-Per KAIJO M., cessive alvances. In the case of said for the alternative policy of the railwaymen, the adherence seriously tackling the problem of Swatow. Amor and Foochow- to the flat rate principle has price reduction and its allied pro-Per HAICHING, 27th Aug., meaut that while certain grades blem of increased production. have increased their wages by 200 to 250 per cent., other grades have only benefited Philippine Is.—Per TAMING, by about 80' per cent., and are therefore reatively wor-e of than they were b-fore the war. The same statement is true of the men in the engineering Per HAILOONG, 31st Aug., groups of trades, and the unfortunate effect is that the continual pressure from these badly treaty grades is responsible for new demands that only make the evil worse, because the Trade

> already favoured too much. PLIGHT OF THE "NEW POOR."

Another factor making for the perpetuation of this inequality of increase to meet the same burden is the relative strength of the grades workers affected. In certain cases such as the miners and the cotton workers the greater strength's of the unions has resulted in substantial gains, whereas in cases where there is little or no organisation among the workers the increases of pay have fallen below the rise of living cost as a rule, and these 0.00 0.00 groups combine with the groups unfairly dealt with under the flat rate war bonus principle to provide the 50 per cent, of the *orkers whose actual increases of pay have fallen below the EL.K. Observatory, Aug. 23, 1920. amount necessary to make up

In addition there is to be taken into account the middle classes, professional and business men.

who have no means of improving their economic position spart Once again the country is faced from the generous recognition of with a series of wage demands their claims by employers. This affecting the miners, the engin- class has probably suffered more eers, and other groups of workers, than any other during the war. increases of wages granted since hundred per cent. above the pro-

ed that as a rule there is no rea- obtained by some, groups of China Fires son to suppose that wages gen-workers, such as miners, cotton H. K. Fires U.S.A., Japan and Shanghai- erally can ever overtake prices, workers, and certain sections of Per SHINYO M., 24th Aug.

Here and there accidental circumstances have enabled workers

ZUOKA M., 25th Aug.

Japan—Per TENSHIN M., 25th

of pay more than enough to meet

workers, but the unfortunate thing in the size of th the rises in living cost, but it is is that these disproportionate Shells Japan-Per AKITA M. 25th clear that for a long time the gains in one direction tend to general level of prices has ad- make still worse the position of Ferries Straits-Per METHVEN, 25th vanced faster than the level of the workers at the other end by resson of their effect in sending | Sugars Straits—Per TOTOMI M., 27th For instance, at the present up the cost of living all round, Malabons time the average level of wages and so adding to the handicap Japan-Per CEYLON M., 28th is just 140 per cent above pre-war suffered by the groups who rates, but the cost of living is at have not succeeded and are not Kailana Bombay-Per YETOROFU M., least 150 per cent. above the pro-likely to succeed in obtaining Langkats

THE UNORGANISED WORKER.

days about workers who are Docks, Wharves, Godowas, &c. earning from £5 to £10 a week, H.K. Wharves but too little is said about the thousands who are expected to K. Docks live on 30s to 50s a week. Few Shai Docks b. of these people are organised N. Engineerings n. of these people are organised, not so much because they are enemies of trade unions, as Centrals because they are unable to pay H.K. Hotels The important point, however, contributions out of their meagre L. Invest. is that we are dealing with earnings, or because they are H phreys Est. averages, and the fact to be faced scattered about the country in Kloon Lands Per TUNGSHING, 24th by the Labour leaders, who are districts where trade unionism L Reclamations n quick to profess sympathy for the does not flourish. It is impossible West Points Bangkok-Per PAKHOL. 24th bottom dog, is that it is this bot. for them to secure better treattom dog who is least capable of ment for themselves except by Swatow and Bangkok - Per keeping his wages moving up-doing the very thing the trade Ewos KAUCHOW, 24th Aug., 11 wards as fast as prices. With unions forbid them to do-crowd Kung Yiks the aid of experts. I have gone into the towns to compete with Swatow, Amoy & Foochow—Per through the tabulated figures re- trade unionists for the better paid Orientals HAIHONG. 24th Aug., I presenting the wages increases of jobs. Yet they have to sit still Shai Cuttons some 8,000,000 workers, and the and see the cost of living Yangiszspoos Amoy, Shanghai & North China results shown are as follow: 20 sent soaring up for them every -PerSUI YANG, 24th Aug., per cent. have obtained wage in- time a trade union is successful creases ranging from 200 to 260 in securing an addition to the pay Cements THURSDAY, 26TH AUG.

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WEATHER REPORT.

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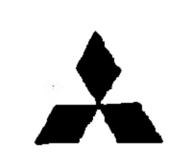
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